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## ANOTHER BATTLE.

TO BE WAGED ON THE SALOON QUESTION.

LIQUOR MEN ARE AGGRESSIVE

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE READY TO ACT IN CAMPAIGN.

REPEAL OF NICHOLSON LAW

IS THE BOASTED PURPOSE OF SALOON MEN.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 5.—Joseph H. Schaub, president of the Royal Arch league, the Indiana organization of saloonkeepers, repeated his assertion yesterday that the Nicholson bill, which prohibits the sale of liquor throughout the state after 11 o'clock at night, on Sundays and legal holidays, is doomed. At the same time the leaders of the Women's Christian Temperance union, the Good Citizenship league, the Marion County Prohibition league and the state organization of the prohibition party, together with all the Christian Endeavor associations and Young People's societies, declare that they will fight for the maintenance of the Nicholson law in all its provisions, and for even more stringent liquor statutes.

As a result of these conflicting declarations, Indiana is again to be the battle ground of another temperance fight. Both parties declare that they are exacting promises from the candidates for the legislature and both have sent out letters of inquiry in an attempt to get the candidates on record, one way or another, in favor of the Nicholson law or against it.

President Schaub said: "I don't think there is any question but the Nicholson bill will be entirely repealed or amended so that all its restrictions will be removed. A majority—and I may say a large majority—of the candidates are pledged to break down the law. In the case of those who are opposed to us, by either word of mouth or past actions we shall make our influence felt. Letters will be written to the liquor men and the friends of liberality in the candidate's district, urging that every effort be put forth to defeat him. The Nicholson bill is a mean law, based on prejudice, and not on reason."

In answer to this Eli F. Ritter, one of the most prominent temperance leaders in Indiana, said that the temperance organizations of the state will unite to put men in the legislature, regardless of party, that are known to be opposed to liquor traffic and its extension.

DUG HIS OWN GRAVE.

Battleground, Ind., Oct. 5.—Hugh DeWitt, who is an inmate of the State Soldiers' Home, has selected a lot in the cemetery here, in which he has dug a grave and walled it with brick, and it is ready for occupancy whenever the owner dies. He has also caused a shaft to be erected, lacking only the date, to mark the final resting place of DeWitt, and on this shaft he has caused a warning to be inscribed against living a life of celibacy, in which he laments his own bachelor fate. DeWitt served in the Mexican and civil wars and is a well educated and very observant man and still active, mentally and physically.

MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING.

Bedkey, Ind., Oct. 5.—Wyatt Ridgeway, a business man and proprietor of a grocery and meat market, left his place, three days ago, in charge of his clerk, telling him he was going to the country to buy cattle. He took with him about \$500 in cash. He rode away on a bicycle, in his shirt sleeves. The last seen of him was at noon of the same day, five miles south of this city. Since

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TAKING DEPOSITIONS.

Arthur Stem, a prominent Cincinnati patent attorney; William E. Crume, of Dayton, president of the American Mercantile company; Mr. Clark, its business manager, and John Engberg, of St. Joe, Mich., are in the city taking depositions in an important patent suit now pending. The action is an interference suit growing out of the question of priority of invention of a machine for making wooden butter dishes. The American Mercantile company practically controls this important industry.

THE YOUTSEY TRIAL BEGINS

DEFENSE ASKED ANOTHER POSTPONEMENT.

Summonses for Witnesses Showed  
No Returns—Judge Centrill  
Overruled the Motion.

Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 5.—When the case of Henry Youtsey, charged with being a principal in the shooting of Governor Goebel, was called in the circuit court today counsel for the defense moved a further postponement, alleging that the sheriffs of Breathitt and Knox counties had made no returns for the witnesses summoned.

Judge Centrill overruled the motion. He said the defense had been given ample time to prepare for trial and must now proceed if the commonwealth were ready.

The commonwealth insisted on trial and the judge ordered the reading of the panel of jurymen to be called. Counsel for the defense then moved that the defendant be discharged, alleging the indictment filed in this county was only a copy. This motion was also overruled.

A STRIKE FOR LOWER WAGES.

Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 5.—A strike of miners at Baskett for recognition of the union has been won. The settlement carried with it a reduction of wages. The owner of the mines never recognized the union, but paid wages averaging 5 cents more than the union schedule. This probably is the first strike for lower wages ever made.

MR. JOHNSON WILL SPEAK.

Superintendent Alexander Johnson, of the Indiana School for Feeble Minded Youth, will deliver an address before the Fort Wayne Commercial club at its regular meeting Thursday evening, Oct. 11.

CLASSES ARE FORMED.

Mrs. Jennie Ray Ormsby's classes for the coming season were organized at a meeting held at Kimball hall last evening. There are two classes in physical culture and elocution, meeting on Monday and Tuesday evenings. As a prelude to the organization last evening Mrs. Ormsby gave some delightful readings.

A HANDSOME DONATION.

A handsome donation to the Galveston relief fund is received today from the employees of the Packard Piano company, who contribute \$50. This is a very liberal gift and is inspired by generous feelings. It is estimated that \$5,000,000 will be needed in Galveston before the suffering people there have been placed beyond the need of outside aid.

HAD A PAINFUL FALL.

A young lad of the name of Geeta, 12 years of age, residing at 88 West Fourth street, sustained a painful fall Thursday afternoon. His face struck some sharp instrument in the ground and cut an extensive gash in the nose.

WILLING TO ACCEPT WAGE CUT.

Lancaster, Pa., Oct. 5.—The 1,600 striking employees of the four rolling mills of the Susquehanna Iron and Steel company at Columbia have decided to accept the 25 per cent cut in wages and go to work on Monday provided the company will pay the puddlers' helpers three cents a heat in addition to the \$3 rate. The strike has been in effect two weeks. The company has not yet given an answer to the men's proposition.

HAS GONE TO CINCINNATI.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 5.—(Special.)—Rev. Herman Alarding, bishop-elect of the diocese of Fort Wayne, has gone to Cincinnati to consult Archbishop Elder with reference to his consecration, which is expected to occur late in November.

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TO WIDEN FULTON STREET

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS HAS SO DECIDED.

Many Assessment Rolls Were Approved—East Main Street to be Paved—Notes.

The board of public works at the regular meeting last evening decided to widen Fulton street, from Jefferson to Brackenridge streets. At present the street is only sixteen feet wide and it is intended to make it fifty. The Taber property lies along the side of the street. The board postponed action for two weeks in the matter of the new sewer between Huron and Elm streets, and on Bluff street. Action on the assessment roll for the sidewalks on Reed street and Huron street was postponed because no affidavit had been filed. The board also postponed action on the resolution to construct a brick sidewalk on the west side of Indiana avenue, from Home avenue to Cottage avenue, and the improvement will not be made until next spring.

Resolutions were confirmed for the following improvements: Sidewalk on the east side of Calhoun street, from Esmond street to Cour street; sidewalk on the west side of Calhoun street, from lot No. 7, Baltes, Fleming & Esmond's addition, to lot No. 12, Cour's addition. The board also passed the resolution providing for the paving of Main street, from Barr to Clay streets, with sheet asphalt, asphalt block, vitrified block or crosote block. The work will be advertised for, but the pavement will not be constructed until next spring. The following assessment rolls were approved: Constructing a sewer between High and Sinclair streets; constructing a sewer between Jefferson and Madison streets, from Barr to a point fifty-four feet west of Lafayette street; paving of Webster street, from Berry to Jefferson streets; paving Rockhill street, from Main to Berry streets; sidewalk on the south side of Home avenue, from Fairfield avenue to the west line of lot 45, Ninde's addition; relaying sidewalk on the west side of Walton avenue, from the north line of lot 19, White's sub-division, to south line of lot 55, Lillie's addition.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the relaying of the brick sidewalk in front of lot 2, Phillips' addition, which is situated on Broadway, near Creighton avenue.

appropriation allowed for new seats to be placed in the parks. The contract was given to William Bruns to furnish by May 1, 1901, eleven and one-half dozen iron seats of the same pattern as those formerly furnished to the city by him. This order will use up all of the appropriation but \$2.

CROWDS HEAR FAIRBANKS.

Kendallville, Ind., Oct. 5.—Charles W. Fairbanks, United States senator from this state, spoke in this city last evening. A monster parade was formed, composed of McKinley marching clubs, Rough Rider clubs and political clubs on bicycles from various towns in this section of the state. The senator held a reception in the evening at the hotel and hundreds were there to shake hands with him. In his speech the senator referred many times to the patriotism and valor of the Americans in the late war. He talked on the money question, saying it was just as important today as four years ago.

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For Vice President,  
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Fifth Ward Bryan Club—Addresses by Hon. Allen Zollars and H. S. Pulse.

Bole Raisings—Under auspices of republicans at William Weaver's, on Spy Run avenue; addresses by William Geake and C. B. Jackman.

Jefferson Club—Special meeting this evening to arrange for reception to Hon. Bourke Cockran.

Minersmen—Regular meeting of Union No. 19 at No. 64 East Main street.

Lumbers—Regular meeting of Union No. 166 at No. 27 East Bery street, third floor.

Black and Carriage Drivers—Regular meeting of Association No. 133 at No. 207 Calhoun street, third floor.

A. R.—Regular meeting of Anthony Wayne Post No. 271 at G. A. R. hall.

Jedges—Summit City No. 170, F. & A. M.; Fort Camp No. 758, Royal Neighbors; B. P. O. E. No. 155; Concordia No. 41, D. of R.; Royal Templars; Pathfinders; Summit Encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F.; Mad Anthony Tent No. 95, K. O. T. M.; Maumee No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Good Samaritans of the World.

Spanish War Veterans—Regular meeting of General Lawton Post No. 8 at G. A. R. hall.

Masonic Temple—Week's Events: Friday Evening—Cole & Johnson's "A Trip to Coontown."

Saturday Afternoon and Evening—Walker Whitehead in "Hamlet" and "Heart and Sword."

Broadway Theatre—Empire Stock company in "The Senator's Daughter."

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It may be that the piece of ice that came near striking Senator Hanna at a political meeting in Chicago last night was thrown with malicious intent. If so it was a base and cowardly assault. But—and we humbly suggest it—may it not be possible that some perturbed republican with Mr. Hanna's recent remarks on the trusts in mind wanted the republican chairman to put that piece of ice where it would do the most good?

Just how near at hand is a settlement of the great strike in the anthracite mining region cannot be guessed, but there is evidently some move afoot that will bring the contest to a close. Meanwhile, the sturdy and determined attitude of the striking miners gives new character to the struggle. They have been offered in some cases an increase of wages if they will return to work. It was rather an alluring bait and doubtless many observers of the strike have thought the miners unwise not to take it. But the miners have answered this concession of the mine-owners by tying up the collieries tighter than ever. There is something more than wages to be settled before the strike will end. The miners want better conditions and they want and wisely, too, some sort of hostage for the future. They realize pretty thoroughly that to get an advance in wages and then return to work wholly at the mercy of the operators is not a very sound guarantee for long enjoyment of what little the strike shall have gained for them.

After working for forty years without a vacation, during which time he has amassed a fortune and made his name known the world over, Thomas B. Jeffery, of bicycle fame, is going to take a rest. Mr. Jeffery is one of the best known and most successful business men of Chicago. He went to work when fifteen years old and now at the age of fifty-five he feels that he is entitled to a rest. No one will dispute his claim to it. Mr. Jeffery is not a jaded old man who has worn himself out in pursuit of business. He is in good health, strong, vigorous and has the manner and appearance of a man many years younger. He attributes his youthfulness to the fact that he has always kept regular habits and hours and has always allowed himself plenty of exercise. He was always an enthusiastic advocate of the bicycle and many of the most notable improvements that have contributed to the perfection of the modern wheel were of his invention. Mr. Jeffery is the type of business man whose example is worth something. He demonstrates that to succeed in business it is not necessary to be a slave to business notwithstanding he has never found it essential to take long vacations. He has pursued his business life in a fashion that made business constantly yield him all necessary recreations. He retires from active work at a time of life when he is yet capable of life's highest enjoyments.

#### THE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

The Fort Wayne Commercial club is making an effort to increase its membership to 800 or more. In the

club's aim is seen a far-reaching ambition for the good of Fort Wayne. It may be trite but it is none the less true that in unity there is strength, in concerted action there is might. The Commercial club is only a little over a year old, yet its brief career has made it plain to the most skeptical that Fort Wayne has within her limits enough generous, public-spirited men who will put aside personal feelings and selfish motives and work in common for the good of the city as a whole to accomplish good results by advocating and introducing such improvements as will eventually make Fort Wayne one of the best cities in the country.

The present year will no doubt be a fruitful one for the club, as it has on its unfinished business list such enterprises as better depot facilities, the Harrison street tunnel, an auditorium building, new factories with employment for many, interurban railways and other projects. When these questions are taken up separately their proper solution will require much work and perseverance, as will be readily admitted.

We believe the Commercial club has come to stay and that its influence will be felt in everything which can in any way improve Fort Wayne. Every citizen of the city owes it in loyalty to the community to do whatever he can to advance the interests of Fort Wayne. We also believe that no better opportunity is presented to every business and professional man to do something for the city than by giving encouragement and sustenance to the Commercial club. The membership has come from every avenue of business and professional pursuit. In order that the club may become more comprehensive of all the interests of Fort Wayne it is purposed to reduce the monthly dues from one dollar to fifty cents so that active work in and with the club shall constitute no serious financial burden upon any one. The membership was two hundred when this was decided upon and it can easily be understood that the increased membership will enlist to that extent the influence of our citizens and thus extend the influence of the club in everything it undertakes.

#### LAWYER PATRICK ARRESTED.

New York, Oct. 5.—Albert T. Patrick, lawyer, and Charles Jones were locked up in police headquarters last night on charges of forgery. The complaint is that to two checks made out to Patrick's order on Swanson & Sons, of Wall street, and to checks made out to the same order on the Fifth Avenue Trust company the signature of William M. Rice being affixed. Rice died recently, leaving a large estate. Jones was his confidential clerk and the police say, a tool of Patrick. Experts in handwriting, Carvalho, Kinsley and Dr. Eagan, of Troy, all examined the signatures and pronounced them clumsy forgeries. Patrick was arrested by Detective Carey just after he left the New York safety deposit vaults, where the strong box of the millionaire was opened. Jones was arrested at 50 Madison avenue.

#### GOLD STRIKE IN AUSTRALIA.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.—A newspaper received today from Sydney, N. S. W., says a sensational gold discovery has been made at Long Flat, near Gundagai, N. S. W. Pieces of gold covered with oxide of iron, have been found, many pieces weighing up to three-quarters of a pound troy. Fully 2,000 ounces were obtained. Half a prospecting dish of fine dirt taken out of a shute panned out about twenty-five ounces of gold. Gold still shows quite as good in the roof drive, there being, apparently, a seam of almost pure gold.

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## A DOUBLE MURDER

BELIEVED TO BE INVOLVED IN THE AFFAIR.

### THE MYSTERY AT CEDAR LAKE

TWO HEADS THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN IN THE SACK.

### BLOOM'S SENTENCE STANDS

SUPREME COURT AGAINST THE WARREN MAN.

Crown Point, Ind., Oct. 5.—From stories told by Tony Hetzler and J. Michaels, a fisherman, concerning the human head fished out of Cedar lake the theory now is two persons were murdered. Tony Hetzler declares that something dropped out of the lower end of the bag while he was pulling it into the boat. It has been assumed that this was a weight, but the new theory is that it was the second head. The dental plate was pointed out half an hour later lying on the seat of the boat and brought in by Dr. Osinski. He said that part of the hair examined by him was that of a man's beard, while a number of dentists positively assert that the dental plate belonged to a woman. The story related by J. Michaels is being investigated. Michaels asserts that a boat rented by him during the summer of 1899 to a young man and woman was discovered the next day to be blood-stained. Michaels claims to have learned that the same man and woman hired a vehicle and were driven from Crown Point to Cedar lake, and that the man returned alone, saying that his companion had become ill and had taken a train to Chicago. The detectives have not been able to locate the driver of the rig and doubt the story.

#### KEPT A PIONEER TAVERN.

Ossian, Ind., Oct. 5.—Louis C. Justus, a prominent figure in the early pioneer life of this section, died at his home in this place at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, at the age of nearly eighty years. Mr. Justus located in Wells county fifty years ago and for some time ran a cooper shop at Murray. Later he was a pioneer tavern-keeper on the Wells-Allen county line, when Fort Wayne was accessible only by wagon road. In recent years Mr. Justus has lived at Sheldon, but a few weeks ago he and his wife removed to Ossian, to be near their son, Elzey Justus. Four years ago Mr. Justus was stricken with paralysis. He has slowly declined in health, and for three weeks previous to his death had been unable to take nourishment. He was twice married and leaves a widow and two sons, M. M. Justus, of Bluffton, and Elzey Justus, of Ossian.

#### VETERANS HOLD REUNION.

Churubusco, Ind., Oct. 5.—Surviving veterans of the One-hundred-and-twenty-ninth Indiana volunteer infantry held their annual reunion at the U. B. church in this place yesterday. Dennis Monahan, of Fort Wayne, was elected president of the association, and Hon. E. G. Melendy, of Fremont, secretary and treasurer. Business sessions were held during the day, and the evening was given over to a campfire, where addresses were made by Judge S. M. Henck and R. B. Hanna, of Fort Wayne; Professor Belts, Rev. Tinkham, Rev. Thomas and others. The Churubusco male quartet, the Ladies' Military band, of Waterloo, Miss Lots Fowler and Mrs. Flora Fetters contributed to the musical program, and the recitations of Miss Ella Cotterley were highly enjoyed. The old one-hundred-and-twenty-ninth was recruited at Fort Wayne and Kendallville. Under command of Col. C. A. Zollinger it saw some of the hardest fighting of the last two years of the civil war.

#### A BLUFFTON PRODIGY.

Bluffton, Ind., Oct. 5.—Harry Beyrl Merriss, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merriss, of this city, is a prodigy in memory. He remembers accurately anything he has ever heard or read, no matter how difficult the subject or the composition. After listening to the reading of an essay or a poem, regardless of its length, he can at once recite it almost word for word, without the slightest hesitation. He can give correctly the dates of every war and the principle men and events connected with each. The history of the Greek and Trojan war he can repeat from beginning to end. The names of all the noted generals of ancient and modern history are at his tongue's end. He can tell the name of every president of the United States. He can name them in rotation either way, and can tell when each was born, when he died, when he was elected to the presidency, how long he served and the dates of his

term of office. He cannot be led into error in regard to any date relating to American history or politics.

His wonderful memory is not the only thing that makes the boy a prodigy. In arithmetic he can calculate any problem in addition, subtraction, division or multiplication in a moment's time. His ability in this respect is extraordinary. Give him the date of your birth and he will instantly tell you your age to the day; or give him your exact age and he will at once tell you the day of your birth.

With his other accomplishments, young Merriss is a wonder in spelling. No word is too difficult for him, and he will, without an instant's pause, correctly spell the longest and hardest words in the English language, either forward or backward. The boy is phenomenally intelligent in every respect, and during the past few months has been the subject and study of medical and psychological experts. Eminent specialists say that they have never before seen a human whose memory and other intellectual abilities are so remarkable. He is fond of play. When with other boys he acts and plays "perfectly natural."

#### BIG OIL STRIKE.

Muncie, Ind., Oct. 5.—The strongest oil well ever developed in Delaware county was drilled in last evening on the property of the county at the infirmary building, four miles east of Muncie, its capacity being estimated at 100 barrels daily. When shot, the oil shot forth sixty feet in the air, and prospects are that it will be a flowing well. The find is on an undeveloped territory, the land being leased by the Liberty Gas and Oil company of Muncie, composed of Republic Iron company stockholders here and in Chicago.

#### BLOOM MUST STAY IN PRISON.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 5.—The supreme court has affirmed the conviction of Thomas Bloom for manslaughter. Bloom lived on a farm in Huntington county, and Bess, the murdered man, was an oil well driller. Bess worked from noon until midnight and drove to and from his work. He rented a place in Bloom's barn for his horse and buggy. Bloom suspected Bess of stealing his corn and put marked wooden pins in the pith of the cobs. Thus he found that Bess was stealing. One night Bloom and his son concealed themselves in the barn loft and watched. They saw Bess and a companion take corn, oats and chickens, put them in Bess' buggy and drive away. The next night they watched again, and when Bess was putting a bundle of Bloom's hay into his buggy he was shot. Bloom aimed at Bess' feet, but stepped back as he shot and the charge struck Bess at the knee, and from the effects of the wound Bess died. Upon conviction Bloom was sentenced to serve from two to twenty-one years in the Indiana state prison.

#### AN ENERGETIC TRUSTEE.

Rochester, Ind., Oct. 5.—W. V. S. Norris, trustee of Liberty township, Fulton county, has employed himself as a teacher in one of the district schools. A few days before the opening of the school, it is alleged, Mr. Norris circulated a petition asking that he, as the trustee, appoint himself as teacher. Then he contracted with himself at a remunerative salary. After he had taught for a few days the county superintendent notified him that inasmuch as he had no license to teach his employment was illegal, and that he would be liable on his bond if he paid out any money to himself as a teacher. During the time Mr. Norris has been trustee he has given his township two high schools, and his object in invading the teacher's realm was to give them an object lesson in correct work.

#### DETERMINED TO DIE.

Flora, Ind., Oct. 5.—The dispatches of Tuesday told of the attempt by Oscar C. Marsh, formerly a bridge contractor, of Cleveland and Chicago, to commit suicide by cutting his throat; prompt interference by Dr. Peters saving him from immediate death. Marsh was conveyed to his hotel, where he showed every symptom of speedy convalescence. While lying in bed, however, he forced open the stitches by raising himself on his head and heels, and then he thrust his fingers into the gaping wound and tore at his jugular vein until he severed it, death resulting quickly. Mr. Marsh was 53 years old, with children both at Cleveland and Chicago. He left a letter explaining the cause, but this is withheld from publicity.

#### FIRST TIME IN MANY YEARS.

Goshen, Ind., Oct. 5.—H. H. Miller, of Chicago, and Mrs. Cyrus Platt, of Leesburg, were called to this city by the death of Mrs. Solomon Sorbaugh, a sister. It was their first meeting since they left the parental home in Pennsylvania, thirty-four years ago.

## A GOOD HOUSEKEEPER

Wants the very best Curtains and Draperies that she can procure at a nominal cost. She wants her house to look temptingly neat without having to pay extravagant prices to make it so. And that is why she comes to THE PEOPLE'S STORE to purchase these items. For this, the first week in October, we have an OPENING SALE of

**Lace Curtains, Tapestry and Rope Portieres. Curtain and Drapery Materials.**

The Curtain chance of the season. A gathering more than desirable, introducing the newest novelties of the foremost manufacturers, priced to preclude the possibility of competition. A rare display and offering of these beautiful goods at unusually low prices.

#### Lace Curtains--Specials.

150 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, \$1.50 value, opening price, **\$1.00** pair.

Other Nottingham Curtains, a large and complete assortment, ranging in price from 69c to **\$5.00** pair.

100 pair Irish Point Curtains, wide and extra long, regular \$6.00 value, opening price **\$5.00** pair.

A fine selection of Irish Point Curtains, original and exclusive patterns, ranging in price from \$3.90 to \$10.00 pair.

60 pairs Brussels Net and Tambour Curtains, dainty, exquisite patterns, regular \$6.50 value, for a special feature, at **\$5.00** pair.

Finer Brussels Net and Tambour Curtains up to \$10.00 pair.

Swiss Ruffled Curtains, 100 pairs, \$1.25 values, opening price, 98c pair.

EXTRA SPECIAL—Swiss Ruffled Curtains, worked in Tambour, very pretty effect, were \$2.00, special for the opening week, at **\$1.69** pair. Only 30 pairs of these.

Ruffled Curtains, some plain ruffle, some lace edged, ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$5.00 pair.

#### Tapestry Portieres--Rope Portieres.

200 pair Fine Brocade Tapestry Portieres, 12 colors to select from, regular \$3.50 value, opening price, only **\$2.75** pair.

Fine Brocade Tapestry Curtains, a large assortment of colors and styles, at \$3.90, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50, up to \$10.00 pair.

SPECIAL—Roman Stripe and Badgad Tapestry Curtains, very new, regular \$5.00 values, special for opening week, \$3.90 pair.

Rope Portieres, for single or double doors, over 20 different styles to select from. For single doors, price \$1.50 to \$2.75 pair. For double doors, price \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$5.00 pair.

#### Rug Offering Extraordinary

Oriental Sheikh Rugs, fringed ends, 30 in. by 60 in. in size, bright, cheerful and substantial patterns, worth \$2.00, special price, **\$1.25** each.

A beautiful assortment of Smyrna and Moquette Rugs, in three sizes, at lowest possible prices.

#### Tapestry and Drapery Piece Goods.

New Roman Stripe Tapestry or Drapery Materials, 50 in. wide, cheerful colors, worth 75c yard, special opening price, **62½c** yard.

Ottoman Tapestry Materials, 50 in. wide, brocade effects, several colors, real \$1.00 value, as a special feature, now 75c yard.

New French Brocade and Upholstery goods from \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, up to \$3.75 yard.

Rug Fringes, all colors and mixed shades, at 10c yard and 12½c yard.

#### Sash Curtain Goods.

New Curtain Swisses, a fine assortment, figured, at 10c yard.

Double Width Curtain Swisses, new and original patterns, 15c and 20c yard.

Fish Nets, for Sash or Door Curtains, extra wide, at 12½c yard.

Fish Nets, bordered and scalloped, fine quality, at 15c yard.

New Madras Cloth, figured, cream and colored tints, at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 69c yard.

Cable Net, 3 yards wide, fine mesh, 69c yard.

Bobinet, plain, fine quality, 48 in. wide, 25c yard.

Point de Sprit Net, various qualities and widths, 20c, 33c, 39c yard. Two yards wide, 62½c yard.

Bordered Netting, new patterns, 29c, 39c and 50c yard.

Pearl Netting, a newidea for sash curtains, pretty designs, 69c to \$1.00 yard.

Door Panels, ready to hang, in Battenberg and Irish Point, at 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.00 each.

Swiss Net Ruffling for Curtains, 10c yard.

New assortment of Silkolines and Figured Denims, at 12½c yard.

SPECIAL—A 4-foot Oak Pole, with brackets and trimmings, complete, for 15c.

A full line of Curtain Poles, in white enamel, oak, pine, cherry, etc., with fixtures and trimmings complete, from 19c, 25c, 30c up to 75c.

Window Shades at lowest prices. Special sizes made to order.

Strictly One Price to All.

**The People's Store.**

BEADELL & CO.

FALL 1900.

**JOHN RABUS,**

...TAILOR...

16 West Berry Street,

Presents Compliments and invites you to call and examine the NEW WOOLENS for the coming season.

FALL 1900.

**Bon Ami**  
The Finest Cleaner Made  
Cleans windows and mirrors without slops or muss.

**CELESTINE**  
NATURE'S CURE

**A Cure for Constipation.**

I have been troubled with constipation for years. It was running my health, my comfort and my complexion, and I am glad to say that Celestine has restored all three, and I was supposed to be good, but which were of no value whatever. I would like to tell every suffering woman what Celestine King has done for me. Celestine King, Cincinnati, Ohio. Celestine King cures Constipation, Nerve, Stomach, Liver and Kidney diseases.

**J. C. Peltier,**  
Undertaker  
and Embalmer,  
17 W. WAYNE ST.

**The Pennsylvania Station.**  
**Pennsylvania Lines.**  
Trains Run by Central Time.

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| New York and Washington | 8:40 a.m. | 3:25 p.m.  |
| Longmont and Pittsburgh | 8:40 a.m. | 3:25 p.m.  |
| Manitowish and Lima     | 8:40 a.m. | 3:25 p.m.  |
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**GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA RY.**  
In effect Sept. 30, 1900.

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**WABASH**  
Wabash Time Table in Effect June 3rd.

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**INDIAN, FORT WAYNE AND WESTERN RAILWAY.**

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## TO HEAR LEADERS

THOUSANDS JAMMED THE BIG AUDITORIUM.

MR. BRYAN IN INDIANAPOLIS

ADDRESSES DEMOCRATIC CLUB CONVENTION.

A TREMENDOUS ENTHUSIASM

HON. BOURKE COCKRAN HEARD BY A MULTITUDE.

Indianapolis, Oct. 5.—Hearty to the greatest degree was the reception accorded William J. Bryan, Bourke Cockran and the other speakers of the day at the convention of the National Association of Democratic Clubs at Tomlinson hall. The big auditorium contained large audiences at all the sessions, but in the afternoon, when Mr. Bryan was to speak, the attendance was noticeably larger. When the presidential candidate appeared on the platform he faced a sea of people. Every seat was occupied, the aisles were crowded and the hall was thronged as it probably never was before. Probably 6,000 to 7,000 persons were present and only the limits of accommodation held the attendance to that number. The audience was as enthusiastic as it was large, and cheers at frequent intervals compelled the speakers to pause until the hall became quiet enough to permit them to proceed.

With the close of the session last evening the convention came to an end. The managers of the association express themselves as much pleased with the success of the Indianapolis meeting, and express the opinion that the cause of democracy will be advanced as one result of the convention.

**BRYAN PRAISES CLUB'S WORK.**

Mr. Bryan's address was an extended one. In opening he expressed his appreciation of the work being done by the association and President Hearst, saying that he believed in the policy of forming such clubs and that the party needed them. The work of democracy, being of the people, must be done by the people, he said. Then turning to the great issues of the campaign he continued:

The republican party is not prepared to meet the issues of this campaign. The republican party is today dodging, running from nearly every issue in the campaign. When they started out they said the money question was the question of paramount importance. But they found that when a man says that a question of money is more important than a question of government he at once arouses suspicion and people begin to wonder whether he thinks a dollar is more important than a man.

Think of trying to make the money question paramount in this campaign. Why, when the money question was paramount in 1896 we found the republicans trying to make out that the tariff was the paramount issue. They said, let us open the mills instead of the mints, and the first thing they did when they got into power was not to reform the currency, but to reform the tariff and give the men who contributed a chance to run their hands deeper into the pockets of the people.

Now, when the question of human race and human liberty are at stake, the republicans say that the money question is the paramount issue. They were afraid in 1896 that we were going to have a 50-cent dollar. Now they have given us an 85 per cent citizen in Porto Rico and they don't dare tell us what per cent of citizenship the Filipino is to have.

In 1896 they said we could not have a double standard of money. Now they think we can have a double standard of government, a republic here and a despotism in the Philippine Islands. They said in 1896 that we could not maintain a parity between a white metal and a yellow metal. Now they maintain a parity between a white citizen and a yellow subject in the Philippine Islands. They find that it is too sordid a despotism to say that the standard of money you have is more important than the form of government under which you live.

And yet, while they cannot now boast of the supremacy of the money question, they are not prepared to meet the other issues. Mr. Hanna says there are no trusts. That settles that question. He ought to ask his wife. Every wife knows there are trusts.

The concluding session of the convention was called to order at 8 o'clock last night by Governor McMillin, who at once introduced Mr. Cockran. The latter was apparently laboring under difficulties from hoarseness, but despite the fact he made himself heard. He spoke in part as follows:

Nobody can dispute the fact that the United States can seize any territory that it chooses. That power nobody disputes. If the taking of the Philippine Islands be profitable, and if the mere fact that it be profitable makes it justifiable, then where on top of this earth is there a piece of territory that we ought not to seize?

There are a million reasons for taking Canada. I do not think there is one for hesitating to annex it providing it could be accomplished peaceably. The annexation of Canada is the dream of every patriot. I think it an event of the future almost as certain as anything that can be forecasted. The annexation of Mexico is not an improbability. The annexation of South America is not an impossibility. The annexation of China would be a less fanciful suggestion now than the annexation of the Philippines would have been three years ago. Nay, more. There is much more abundant justification for the taking of China than for the taking of the Philippines. China has at least insulted our dignity in the person of our ambassador. The Filipinos have never done anything except serve us on the field of battle and risk their lives and their blood for us.

When Mr. Cockran finished, at 10 o'clock, the convention adjourned sine die.

**STATE LEAGUE FORMED.**

The Indiana delegation met yesterday afternoon at the Cleveland club rooms and formed the Indiana league of clubs, with the following officers:

President—W. H. Elchhorn, of Bluffton.

First Vice President—John H. Aiken, Fort Wayne.

The president of each club in the state will also act as vice president.

Secretary—Charles J. McCullough, of Brazil.

Treasurer—George P. Marott, of Indianapolis.

The executive committee is composed of one member from each congressional district, as follows:

First—Thomas H. Dillon, Petersburg.

Second—R. E. Purcell, Vincennes.

Third—John R. Simpson, Paoli.

Fourth—Charles Butler, North Vernon.

Fifth—Charles Mace, Brazil.

Sixth—Henry Oltman, Shelbyville.

Seventh—Henry Warrum, Indianapolis.

Eighth—J. Frank Mann, Muncie.

Ninth—Hannibal C. Yount, Covington.

Tenth—Lemuel Darrow, Laporte.

Eleventh—Milo Meredith, Wabash.

Twelfth—Charles M. Brown, Auburn.

Thirteenth—Dr. S. G. Todd, Mishawaka.

Charles McCullough, secretary, will appoint his assistant secretary.

**COMPANY WILL BE ORGANIZED**

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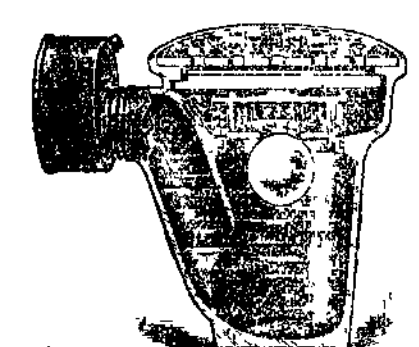
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For further information call at or address the academy.

There will be an important meeting of the Royal Arcanum lodge tonight, followed by an entertainment which will be a most welcome surprise to those who are so fortunate to be present.

## MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

TO MEET NEXT WEEK IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

HOOSIER CITY OFFICIALS

TO MEET TO DISCUSS THEIR COMMON GOOD.

A GOOD PROGRAM ARRANGED

SCOPE OF THE WORK GIVEN IN OUTLINE.

Richmond, Ind., Oct. 5.—Preparations are now practically complete for the semi-annual meeting of the Indiana Municipal league in this city, October 10, 11 and 12. The cities now on the membership roster are Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Tippecanoe, Alexandria, Aurora, Huntington, Portland, Decatur, Bluffton, Berne, Redkey, Peru, Dunkirk, Marion, Lafayette, Wabash, Elwood, Goshen, Lawrenceburg, Gas City, Columbia City, Delphi, North Manchester, Rochester, Hartford City, Crawfordsville, Muncie and Richmond.

The present officers are the following: President, Z. T. Dungan, mayor of Huntington; secretary, Clarence W. Glenn, member of city council, Richmond; treasurer, A. P. Beatty, mayor of Decatur.

The mayors of the cities in the league are vice presidents. The executive committee is composed of George A. Harrison, superintendent of police, Lafayette; Henry P. Scherer, mayor of Fort Wayne; J. E. McHenry, mayor of Wabash; Isaac Simmons, mayor of Portland; W. W. Zimmerman, mayor of Richmond; Joseph T. Day, mayor of Dunkirk; and George E. Downey, mayor of Aurora. The members of the legislative committee are B. F. Deahl, mayor of Goshen; W. H. Shambaugh, city attorney of Fort Wayne; J. Fred France, city attorney of Huntington; B. R. Call, city attorney of Elwood; George P. Haywood, city attorney of Lafayette; Charles Sturgis, city attorney of Bluffton; O. H. Bogue, city attorney of Wabash.

**WILL DISCUSS POLICE.**  
There will be a number of interesting questions before the league for discussion. The metropolitan police system now in vogue is one of these. The general feeling among league members is said to favor the present system, which keeps politics almost entirely out of the management of police systems. There is a sentiment against the law, however, and some talk is heard that an attempt may be made to have the legislature repeal the law and put the police under the direct control of the city councils.

**WORK OF ONE YEAR.**  
The garbage question is one that will be thoroughly discussed. There are comparatively few Indiana cities that have a thorough system of collecting and disposing of garbage. A number of cities of from 5,000 to 18,000 population have no collecting system at all. In such towns garbage is gathered up at random by those who receive their pay direct from the individual. In consequence there is an accumulation of filth that during the summer months is annoying and unhealthy. Richmond is said to have one of the most thorough systems of garbage collection in the country and during the past year committees from councils in several Indiana cities have been here to inspect the work. Richmond, Lafayette, Terre Haute, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis and one or two other cities have crematories where refuse of the city is burned. Marion, Elwood, Huntington and several other cities are now contemplating establishing crematories. The questions of water supply and municipal ownership of light and water plants are also to receive consideration.

While the league deals with all questions relative to cities and towns, the organization was brought about for the primary purpose of bringing the police systems in Indiana into closer union. In 1898 and prior thereto a band of thieves had a circuit embracing several of the cities in the gas belt and also reaching out into more remote sections of the state. Articles stolen in one city were disposed of in another. Huntington, Wabash, Marion, Dunkirk, Dundee, Portland, Bluffton, Decatur and Fort Wayne were among the cities that suffered. William Diamond, a member of the city council of Huntington and also a member of the metropolitan police board, conceived the idea of organizing these towns into a league against the thieves. The suggestion of Mr. Diamond, who is now called the "father of the league," was well received and nearly every city concerned entered heartily into the project. Naturally, other questions besides the working of the police systems, came up at the first meeting, which was held at Huntington and at the next meeting at Lafayette it was found that twenty cities were identified

with the movement. The organization gives promise of rapid growth and the officers hope to have almost every municipality in the state interested within the next two years. When this has been accomplished, it is claimed, it will be possible to bring about municipal laws that are nearer uniform and measures that are necessary for the betterment of cities and towns will be presented to the legislature with such indorsement that consideration of a favorable nature will have to be given.

**ON THE PROGRAM.**  
Following the address of welcome by Mayor W. W. Zimmerman, Richmond, and the response by Hon. W. N. O'Brien, mayor of Lawrenceburg, on Wednesday afternoon, will be an address on "City Sanitation," by Mayor H. Kerlin, Delphi. Discussion to be held by Dr. T. Henry Davis, city health officer, Richmond, and members of the state board of health. The other topic for the afternoon will be "How Best to Secure the Co-Operation of the Police of the State of Indiana Without Affecting Local Control or Materially Increasing the Expense," George A. Harrison, superintendent of police, Lafayette. Discussion, Mayor G. L. Downey, Aurora; C. F. Call, city attorney, Elwood; Mayor B. F. Deahl, Goshen; George A. Harrison, superintendent of police, Lafayette.

Wednesday evening the mayors, attorneys, chiefs and superintendents of police, clerks, treasurers, civil engineers, fire chiefs and street commissioners will meet in the various rooms of the city building, and the council chamber for the purpose of discussing the needs of the several departments. Reports to be made to the session Thursday morning.

Thursday morning addresses will be: "Mayors, Their Powers and Duties," Thomas Merriman, Decatur. Discussion led by Mayor John S. Shannon, Alexandria; "Streets: Life of the Best Street Material," H. L. Weber, city engineer, Richmond. On the Thursday afternoon program is "Municipal Ownership," W. H. Shambaugh, Fort Wayne. Discussion led by George P. Haywood, Lafayette. "Garbage," Mayor H. P. Scherer, Fort Wayne. Discussion led by Charles Elmore, Crawfordsville; and "Public Parks," Mayor Thomas Taggart, Indianapolis. Discussion led by Mayor J. D. McHenry, Wabash.

A banquet will be held in the evening under the auspices of the Richmond Commercial club.

**NATIVES ARE RISING.**

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.—According to advices received by the Miowara, the natives of Eromanga, in the New Hebrides group, have risen. The news was brought to Sydney by Rev. H. A. Robertson, of the Canadian missionary society. He said that during an uprising on Eromanga, fifteen natives had been killed and that a British warship had gone to the scene of trouble. He had been informed that the missionary teachers had been compelled to hold their services in caves and to build a bullet proof stockade around the chief's premises at Dillons Bay, Eromanga. In the district affected, he said, there were over thirty native teachers and besides himself there was only one white man on the island, which is one of the southern islands of the group and about 100 miles in circumference.

**NEWS FROM AUSTRALIA.**

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 5.—The steamer Miowara from Sydney brings news to the effect that the plague has been taken to the main at Townsville, N. S. W. Five cases are reported with two fatalities. A colliery strike is in progress at New Castle. Four collieries are idle as a result of a dispute between the managers and the miners and 1,100 men are idle. The disputes are over mining regulations mainly, wages being a secondary grievance. Five men perished in the snow fields of Mount Ailsworth, Tasmania, on Aug. 8, where ten days earlier another man had perished in the snow. The cold was so intense that a rescue party almost shared the same fate, the cold affecting the men so badly that blood oozed from their hands and faces.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cts. Drug-gists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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## THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Wheat opened dull and easier. November opened unchanged to 3/4c lower at 77 1/4c and eased to 77. Receipts were light and, while rains in the northwest were reported light, later predictions were for heavier precipitation. Argentine shipments were 664,000 bushels, compared with 240,000 the previous week. Local receipts were 181 cars, 2 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 429 cars against 376 last week and 1,014 a year ago.

Corn was dull and featureless on favorable weather and moderate country acceptances. Receipts were 545 cars. November opened unchanged at 37 3/4c. Oats were dull November opened a shade down at 22 3/4c and sold at 22 1/4c to 22 3/4c. Receipts were 330 cars. Provisions were quiet. The opening was unchanged to a shade higher. This was followed by a small bulge, which, however, was lost on profit-taking by scalpers. January pork opened at \$11.85@11.87 1/2; January lard at \$6.97 1/2, and January ribs at \$6.32 1/2.

**THE CLOSE.**  
Prices at the close were as follows: Wheat—Oct., 77c; Nov., 77 3/4c; Dec., 79 @ 79 3/4c. Corn—Oct., 40 1/4c; Nov., 37 3/4c; Dec., 34 3/4c; May, 33 3/4c. Oats—Oct., 22 1/4c to 22 3/4c; Nov., 22 1/4c to 22 3/4c; Dec., 22 3/4c. Pork—Oct., \$14.50; Nov., \$11.90; Jan., \$12.00. Lard—Oct., \$7.27 1/2; Nov., \$7.25; Dec., \$7.12 1/2; Jan., \$7.00. Ribs—Oct., \$8.07 1/2; Nov., \$7.75; Jan., \$6.37 1/2. Flax—Cash N. W., \$1.84; Cash S. W., \$1.83 1/2; Oct., \$1.82; May, \$1.59; Nov., \$1.60; Dec., \$1.59.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.**

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, market generally steady. Good to prime steers, \$5.40@5.90; poor to medium, \$4.50@5.40; stockers and feeders weak, \$2.50@4.50; cows, \$2.75@4.15; heifers, \$2.60@4.75; canners, \$2.00@2.65; bulls, \$2.50@4.50; calves, \$4.00@6.00; Texas fed steers, \$4.10@4.85; Texas grass steers, \$3.30@4.00; Texas bulls, \$2.50@3.25. Hogs—Receipts today, 24,000; tomorrow, 18,000; left over, 6,215. Market averaged shade lower; top, \$5.50. Mixed and butchers, \$5.00@5.50; good to choice heavy, \$5.00@5.45; rough, heavy, \$4.80@4.95; light, \$5.05@5.50; bulk of sales, \$5.15@5.40.

**THE DAY ON WALL STREET.**

New York, Oct. 5.—The opening dealings in the stock market were not very large and speculative sentiment was not well defined. Tennessee Coal was rushed up 2 points on the demand from the shorts and then fluctuated feverishly below that. The majority of stocks showed small gains, but there were sufficient losses to make the market irregular. The undertone of the market became firmer, but any upward movement was hampered by the heaviness of the Traction and realizing in Tennessee Coal, which drove it down 3 points. Nevertheless, Sugar, Northwestern, Baltimore and Ohio and Erie common and first preferred rose 1 1/2% and American Hoop preferred 2 points. Prices yielded all around toward 11 o'clock.

The reactionary movement was checked by shorts covering in the Traction. Brooklyn Trust recovered 1% and sold about yesterday's close. Some of the metal stocks made conspicuous gains, including Pressed Steel, American Hoop and Tennessee Coal. Prices of Sugar, Tobacco and People's Gas were bid up strongly and the more active railways improved large fractions. New York Air Brake jumped 3/4%. Bonds were active and unsettled. St. Louis Southwestern issues made exceptional gains, the firsts 1 1/4%.

**NEW YORK PRODUCE.**

New York, Oct. 5.—Butter—Receipts, 3,791 pkgs; market quiet and steady; creamery, 16@21c; June creamery, 17 1/2@20 1/2c; factory, 13 1/2@16 1/2c.

Cheese—Receipts, 3,844 pkgs; market dull and weak; large white, 11@11 1/4c; small white, 11 1/4@11 1/2c; large colored, 11 1/2@11 3/4c; small colored, 11 1/2c.

Eggs—Receipts, 7,213 pkgs; market strong; western, regular packing, at mark, 12 1/2@13c; western loss off, 20c.

Sugar—Raw, barely steady; fair refining, 4 1/2c; centrifugal, 90 test, 5c, inoleses sugar, 4c; refined, easy; crushed, \$9.15; powdered, \$5.85; granulated, \$5.75.

Coffee—Market quiet.

**THE MONEY MARKET.**

New York, Oct. 5.—Money on call nominally at 8 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5 1/2@6 per cent; sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84@4.85 for demand and at \$4.81 1/2@4.82 1/2 for 60 days; posted rates, \$4.82@4.83 1/2 and \$4.86@4.87 1/2.

commercial bills, \$4.80@4.81; silver certificates, 64 1/2@65; bar silver, 64 1/2c; Mexican dollars, 50 1/2c.

**THE BOND MARKET.**

New York, Oct. 5.—Government bonds steady: Refunding 2s, when is, reg., 104; Refunding 2s, when is, coup., 104; U. S. 3s registered, 109; U. S. 3s coupon, 109 1/2; U. S. 4s registered (new), 134; U. S. 4s coupon (new), 134; U. S. 4s registered (old), 114 1/2; U. S. 4s coupon (old), 114 1/2; U. S. 5s registered, 113 1/2; U. S. 5s coupon, 113 1/2.

**NEWS FOR BASE BALL FANS**

**FORT WAYNES TO PLAY IN SOUTH BEND AGAIN.**

Cincinnati to be Here Next Week—

Boston Loses Again to Brooklyn—Other Scores.

The members of the Fort Wayne base ball team are not going to remain idle as long as the weather will permit them to play ball. Manager Miller has arranged to play three more games with the South Bend Greens in the home of the Greens. The games will be played tomorrow, Sunday and Monday. The twirling will be done by Swain, Fricken and Cooper. Wadsworth, Mattress and Belden having gone to their homes, there will be a change in the positions of the players, Brashear going to second and Hollingsworth to short. Kleinow will play first base. One of the many Fort Wayne boys who have been playing in minor leagues will take Belden's place in the outfield. Next Wednesday, Oct. 10, the Cincinnati Reds will be here to play an exhibition game and local "fans" will have an opportunity to see Bergen's teammates of next season at work.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

|              | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|--------------|------|-------|------|
| Brooklyn     | 80   | 52    | .603 |
| Pittsburg    | 74   | 57    | .565 |
| Philadelphia | 72   | 61    | .541 |
| Boston       | 65   | 67    | .492 |
| Chicago      | 63   | 70    | .473 |
| St. Louis    | 60   | 72    | .455 |
| Cincinnati   | 59   | 73    | .447 |
| New York     | 58   | 77    | .421 |

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**

Brooklyn, 7; Boston, 3.  
St. Louis, 2; Cincinnati, 1.  
Philadelphia, 5; New York, 4.

**NOTES OF THE GAME.**

Cooper is now living at Arcola and doing the pitching for the nine of that town.

The Fort Wayne Blues will go to South Whitley and play ball next Monday afternoon.

The indoor car builders and the outdoor car builders of the Pennsylvania company's car shops will play a game of ball Saturday afternoon at the stock yards.

Most of the Fort Wayne players are spending the week in Rome City fishing. They will return to the city this evening and leave for South Bend in the morning.

The Blues have accepted the challenge of the Grays to play a game at the stock yards next Sunday afternoon. The Blues deny that they were beaten by the Grays.

**TO DISPERSE THE BOXERS.**

Pekin, Oct. 1, via Tien-Tsin, Oct. 4, via Shanghai, Oct. 4.—A small body of imperial Chinese troops appeared at Pei-Tai-Chu yesterday. They informed the British garrison that their purpose was to disperse the boxers and they will not be molested by the British. It is announced that the Germans will winter 8,000 men in Pekin. The British are reducing their force in preparation for the winter. One thousand coolies will start for India soon, and the Indian cavalry will probably be withdrawn. The volume of business being done is steadily increasing, especially in the Japanese and American districts.

**THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.**

London, Oct. 5.—The election returns now total 423, as follows: Conservatives, 250; unionists, 42; liberals and laborites, 78; nationalists 52. Timothy M. Heilly retains his seat for North Louth after a bitter fight. The liberals suffered an unexpected loss in the defeat of Sir Wilfred Lawson in the Cookermouth division of Cumberland. Sir Wilfred is the president of the United Kingdom alliance for the suppression of the liquor traffic. On the other hand the conservatives made an unlooked for gain in Londonderry.

**OPEN SUNDAYS.**

Perrey's Photograph Gallery will be open Sundays from 1 to 3 p. m.  
Mrs. C. C. Hartman, of Wabash, is in the city.

## IS INVESTIGATING A BODY

**CORONER BARNETT IS AT HEL-**

**LER'S CORNERS.**

**Will Exhume Remains of Young**

**Lady and Hold Post Mortem at**

**Request of Citizens.**

Coroner Barnett and Dr. G. S. Stemen left this afternoon for Heller's Corners upon an official mission, at the request of citizens of that locality. They will have the remains of Miss Lizzie Weisse exhumed and held a post mortem examination to ascertain the cause of death. Some days ago a citizen of that neighborhood reported to the officials that the death of the young lady was believed to have occurred under peculiar circumstances, and Deputy Sheriff Stout and Coroner Barnett were at Heller's Corners Thursday in connection with the case. Today the coroner took Dr. G. C. Stemen with him and a post mortem examination will be held.

**M'KINLEY TO LEAVE CANTON.**  
Washington, Oct. 5.—A telegram from Secretary Cortelyou, received at the white house, states that this president, Mrs. McKinley and the entire party will leave Canton next Monday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. They are due to arrive in Washington at 7:45 Tuesday morning.

**THE DEATHS.**

**YOUNG.**

Donald Young, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Young, of 32 Base street, died this morning from marasmus, at the age of seven months and twenty-five days. The funeral services will be held at Zanesville on Sunday.

**LOCAL LINES.**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fairfield, of Belle avenue—a son.  
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feist, 104 East Lewis street, a daughter.  
A nursery near Mexico, Mo., contains 250,000 young fruit trees, pruned and cultivated to perfection. Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Russell returned last evening from their wedding tour, which included Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Snyder, E. L. Robbins, Mrs. A. C. Robbins and M. E. Griswold, all of Auburn, are registered at the New Aveline.

Mrs. Antrup, Mrs. Seaton and Mrs. Finner will this evening entertain the members of the Westminster Social club at an election social at their home, corner of Main and Webster streets.

William Stryker, an employee of the Myers livery barn, was leading a young horse Thursday evening, when the animal suddenly reared and the halter snap entered Stryker's hand, embedding itself in the flesh. Dr. Myers removed the iron and bandaged the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowers, of 13 Colerick street, entertained at progressive pedro Thursday evening in honor of Miss Josephine E. Wheatcraft, of Monroeville, who has been visiting them. First prizes were won by Mrs. Hosler and Mr. Zuber, while Mrs. Zuber and D. Bowers secured the consolation awards. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

**LAUNDRY COMBINE ENDS.**  
Chicago, Oct. 5.—The Sanitary Laundry company, a combination of several large individual laundries of this city, formed a year ago with a capital of \$2,000,000, is said to be at an end. A meeting of stockholders was called this afternoon and it is expected that the laundries comprising the alleged trust will soon begin doing business individually. The dissolution of the combination is said to be due to the strenuous battle given them by independent companies. Whether there will be any loss to shareholders and bondholders could not be learned today.

**THE FIRST VERDICT.**

The first verdict rendered in the new court house was by Judge Vesey, who this afternoon gave judgment to Herbert Schearer against Charles B. Snyder et al. for \$229.60. He then adjourned the superior court and Judge O'Rourke adjourned circuit court to the superior court room.

**OPEN SUNDAYS.**

Perrey's Photograph Gallery will be open Sundays from 1 to 3 p. m.

**POLITICAL MEETINGS.**

The Republican Railroad club held a largely attended meeting last night at republican headquarters and discussed arrangements for a banquet at the Roosevelt rally.

All Fort Wayne democrats who desire to attend the Arcola meeting Saturday night should be at the

passenger building at 8:30 in the evening. Conveyances will be on hand to carry the people free of charge furnished by residents of Arcola.

Hon. J. M. Barrett and S. B. Fleming will address the Sixth ward democratic club next Tuesday evening.

Hon. R. C. Bell and Joe Haley will address the Fourth ward democratic club Monday evening next.

The Third ward democratic club will be addressed next Friday evening by H. C. Underwood and J. H. Aiken.

The Third ward democrats organized a club last evening and elected Dr. K. K. Wheelock president, William Gaffney secretary and Joseph Fox treasurer.

The convicts in the Texas state penitentiary at El Paso contributed \$40 to the Galveston relief fund.

**MAY BE CRIMINAL ASSAULT**

**RUMOR COMES TO SHERIFF'S**

**OFFICE AT NOON.**

Deputy Sheriff Witte Goes to St. Joe

Township to Investigate

the Case.

Just before noon today a report came to the sheriff's office that a man in the northern part of the county had attempted to criminally assault the daughter of a farmer. Sheriff Melching could learn none of the particulars except that the assault was alleged to have occurred in St. Joe township, about two miles east of Center school house. Deputy Sheriff Witte was detailed to make an investigation and at 2 o'clock this afternoon started on his bicycle for the scene of the alleged assault. Rumor has it that the fiend who committed the assault has left the country and it is doubtful whether an arrest can be made at once.

**FARMERS'**

**12TH ANNUAL EXCURSION!**

**TO**

**GRAND RAPIDS,**

**OCTOBER 11TH.**

This popular low-rate excursion will be run this year by the G. R. & I. Ry on October 11th, 1900. It occurs at a most opportune time for a visit to the "Furniture City." Special train will leave Fort Wayne at 5:00 a. m., arriving Grand Rapids at 10:00 a. m.; returning trains will leave Grand Rapids, 7:00 p. m. and 11:00 p. m.  
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**Rathbone Sisters will give a**

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**The Popular Comedians,**

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This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

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a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

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The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of two (2) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months.  
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Charles E. Bond, Assistant Cashier.

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Corner Wayne and Clinton Sts.  
CAPITAL, \$200,000  
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Safe Deposit Boxes for rent.

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### PHYSICIAN.

**DR. B. G. ANDERSON**—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex may consult me free of charge at my office, 14 W. Wayne St. Telephone 245.

Paris' latest innovation in street lighting is oil lamps. They are not the sort of lamps used a hundred years ago, when the cry was "aristocrats a la lanterne," but enormous structures that give out 1,000 candle power each.

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Scaly Eruptions with  
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Bathe the affected parts with Hot Water and Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the surface of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle. Dry, without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment freely, to allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal, and lastly, take Cuticura Resolvent, to cool and cleanse the blood. A single set (price, \$1.25) is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, and humiliating skin, scalp, and blood humors, with loss of hair, when all else fails.

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## SHOP AND RAIL.

EAST CAR SHOPS HAVE PLENTY OF ORDERS.

TAKE UP OTHERS NEXT WEEK

INCLUDED ARE SOME 100,000 POUND CAPACITY CARS.

NICKEL PLATE AUDITOR DEAD

JAMES P. CURRY EXPIRES AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

The car builders in the east car shops of the Pennsylvania are this week winding up the construction of 200 box cars, upon which they have been at work for some time, turning out five each day. As soon as this task is completed the car builders will then take up an order for 200 gondolas. They will also build thirty 100,000 pounds gondola hopper bottom cars, which in shop parlance are known as "GG" cars. Ten narrow gauge gondolas for the little railway known as the Washington and Waynesburg road will also be built in the shops in this city this fall. With this new work and the usual repair work there is no danger of any part of the east car shops being idle for some months.

### ENGINES CHANGES.

Engine 155 has been assigned to a passenger run on the Third district of the Nickel Plate and there are now four engines in the passenger service on that district where there were only three formerly. The object in adding to the power is to give more time for cleaning the engines at terminals. Following is the new arrangement: Engine 175 on trains 1 and 2, Engineers Leonard and Peters alternating at the throttle; engine 171, trains 3 and 4, Engineers Maroney and Stuber; engine 155 and engine 163, alternating on trains 5 and 6, with Engineers P. McGushin and C. F. Long at the throttle on different days.

### VETERAN PAYMASTER RETIRES

Robert Bell, who has been paymaster of the Chicago and Alton since 1882, and has been in the employ of the company since 1861, has resigned. After forty years of continuous service, Mr. Bell looks back to the time when he paid the men from a hand car. He has kept in touch with the progress of the railroad during the whole of the long period and leaves the service of the Alton road voluntarily, at the age of 68 years, in full health and vigor, and with the good wishes of all his associates.

### AUDITOR CURRY DEAD.

A telegram from Cleveland at 11 o'clock this morning conveyed to The Sentinel news of the death of James P. Curry, a gentleman who is well known to the Nickel Plate railway employees in this city. The particulars concerning the demise of Mr. Curry were not given in the brief message, but it is known here that he has been in poor health for more than a year, being afflicted with Bright's disease, and it is presumed that death was due to that malady. Mr. Curry was auditor of the Nickel

Plate road for eighteen years, ever since the company was organized, and was not only known to all the men employed on that line, but was also well known and highly respected in other circles.

### SLIGHT WRECK AT COESSE.

Second section of eastbound freight train No. 72, on the Pennsylvania, had a car off the tracks at Coesse last night in such shape that it required over an hour to get the wheels back in position. In the meantime passenger train No. 8 was waiting for the right-of-way to be cleared and was about half an hour late when she arrived in this city. No damage other than that mentioned, resulted from the derailment.

### LOCAL FREIGHT BUSINESS.

In response to the inquiry "How's business?" a Pennsylvania freight house man this morning said it was good and as evidence stated that the company was at present consuming 800 one-cent revenue stamps daily. This means that there are on an average 800 shipping bills issued each day. This is considerably above the business of a few months ago. Car Service Agent H. M. Elliott's report for September also indicated an increase in local business, there being loaded and unloaded in this city during that month 1,538 cars, beating the best previous record by nearly 100 car loads.

### DYNAMO SHIPMENTS.

Today was another busy one for the shipping department of the electric works. There were loaded for shipment a 4,000-light dynamo for Wapakoneta, Ohio; a 1,000-lighter for Tremont, Ill., and a 60-light arc for Rockville, Ind.

### INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Pittsburg Fireman A. McMillan is on duty on account of sickness.

Mrs. Theodore Gould will leave in a few days for New York to visit her son Carroll.

Nickel Plate brakeman E. Kramer is working again on the Nickel Plate, after a brief rest.

The Chicago Marine band was on Nickel Plate train No. 2 yesterday afternoon, en route east.

The Bass works yesterday sent an 100-horse power boiler to Jacob Horning, New Bavaria, O.

George Iba and Alex. Schannon, hostlers at the Pittsburg round house, are sick and off duty.

The Pennsylvania on October 1 put on a line of Pullman cars between New York and Charleston, S. C.

Herman Regel, the machinist, has returned from Columbia City, where he sets Bass engine in operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith have returned home after an extended visit in the east. He is a Pittsburg conductor.

Brakemen W. P. Morris and Charles Bitner, of the Nickel Plate, are off duty, the latter for the purpose of visiting at South Whitley.

All the railroads are sending out complimentary passes for the general passenger and ticket agents who will hold their convention in Buffalo on October 16.

John F. Szink and W. E. Schlink, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, will go to Chicago tomorrow to be the guest over Sunday of Mr. Schlink's brother.

A. L. Sonnenberg, a Pittsburg car builder, and O. J. Glock, a blacksmith helper, are off duty on account of personal injuries received yesterday while at work.

Theodore Haberkorn, sr., foreman of one of the departments in the Grand Rapids and Indiana shops at Grand Rapids, is in the city visiting his father and uncle.

The Wabash has opened a gravel pit near Peru, from which in the next two months 125 carloads of gravel will be taken and distributed along the line daily for ballast.

Engineer Bert Crosby, of the Nickel Plate, and his wife, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Kriger, of Cleveland, who are out upon a wedding trip, having been married only recently.

Vice Presidents James McCrea and Joseph Wood, of the Pennsylvania who came here last evening on an inspection tour, continued the trip this morning, leaving on No. 15 for Chicago.

Charles Williams has taken charge as commercial agent for the Wabash in Pittsburg territory, with headquarters in Cleveland. Mr. Williams has had a long term of experience as a traffic man of the Wabash.

Machinist William O'Brien, of the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of the very serious condition of his brother, who is not expected to survive an attack of lung trouble under which he is now laboring.

Machinist J. Dailley, Car Builders C. Biokel and W. Sands, C. Roy, of the lumber yards, and P. A. Neuman, F. Huine and E. J. Dullaghan, truckmen at the freight house, all Pittsburg employees, are sick and off duty.

W. A. Garrett, who left the Wabash to go to the Philadelphia and Reading, has received a merited promotion, having been advanced to the position of superintendent

of the New York division of that road.

M. S. Wilson left for Iowa this morning on business for the Fort Wayne Electric company.

William Sullivan has been transferred from the machine floor to the erecting department of the Wabash shops.

George Ayres, oiler at the electric works, has retired from that position and will take a position elsewhere in the city.

Wabash engine 758, one of the big Richmond compound locomotives, was taken into the shops this morning for repairs.

Brakeman J. P. McCleary, who had been visiting friends in Van Wert, has returned to the city and resumed his duties on the Pittsburg road.

Charles Scott, a Pittsburg brakeman, is in Cleveland on business connected with the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which he is an active member.

E. P. Sinal, the Pittsburg conductor who had an eye injured by a cinder several weeks ago, has recovered and yesterday reported for work. He came near losing the eye.

Walter Stanley, Nickel Plate caller, went to North Manchester yesterday to see his brother, who is lying very ill. John Holley is calling crews during Mr. Stanley's absence.

Ira Belden, the base ball player, will take a position in the Fort Wayne Electric works. Joseph Trentman is also a new man at that institution, being assigned to the laboratory department.

Conductor George McCormick resumed work on the Nickel Plate yesterday. A few days ago, as stated in The Sentinel, Mrs. McCormick presented her husband with an heir and he has been off duty making the acquaintance of the little one.

Col. R. G. Thompson, of the Wabash, was called to Detroit yesterday to consult General Passenger Agent C. S. Crane on a business matter connected with the coming Mexican tour. Colonel Thompson will go to St. Louis tonight upon a similar mission.

Harry Bowser, representing the passenger department of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, states that the road is carrying hundreds of bricklayers, carpenters and other classes of mechanics to Galveston and other points on the coast where the great storm did damage.

Mrs. Albert Stapleford, who had been visiting Charles Stapleford, Nickel Plate car inspector foreman, and his wife, returned to her home in Cleveland yesterday. Albert Stapleford is assistant cashier of the Nickel Plate at Cleveland. He was formerly employed in the freight department in this city.

Assistant Timekeeper William Orton, of the transportation department of the Pittsburg, is still under quarantine restriction owing to scarlet fever in his family. The little patient was so ill last night that it was feared she could not survive, but she rallied and is reported to be much improved this morning.

As the close of navigation approaches the shipments of grain by water increase. Last week nearly 12,000,000 bushels of grain were shipped by lake and rail, compared with considerably less than 4,000,000 bushels two weeks ago. This condition will doubtless prevail the next two weeks. By November 1 the all-rail lines will again begin to get the bulk of the grain-moving, and as the heavy traffic in cereals does not

reach its height until about that time the all-rail lines would profit handsomely were rates advanced.

Indianapolis Journal: "It is stated that in the coming year the Pennsylvania company intends to do a large amount of new work on its western lines if the business continues good. Among other things a large portion of the Panhandle, of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago, will be double-tracked. At least 150,000 tons of rails will be purchased."

It develops that the Moline and Peoria railway, incorporated in Springfield on Monday last, is but another name for the Davenport, Rock Island and Northwestern, a road that now operates from Clinton, Iowa, to Davenport, across the river to Rock Island and up to Moline. The latter company at a recent meeting in Chicago decided to extend a line from East Moline to Peoria to Galesburg. To enable an extension a new company was formed under the name of Moline and Peoria.

### BEAT THE JAPS TO PEKIN

### THE WORK OF THE AMERICAN SIGNAL CORPS.

Laboring Under a Great Handicap of Poor Resources They Put the First Wire to Working.

Washington, Oct. 5.—A private letter has been received by an officer in the war department from Lieutenant Stanford, of the signal corps, which gives a brief but interesting account of the work of the signal corps on the way from Tien Tsin to Pekin. He says that owing to the lack of transportation the work of the signal corps was very difficult. General Chaffee found it necessary to take every wagon and cart that had been shipped from the Philippines in order to carry the supplies he needed for his army, consequently the signal officers had to skirmish for transportation.

Lieutenant Stanford says that he picked up teams and carts from any nation that could be induced to part with them, and sometimes few questions were asked as to the real proprietary interest in the transportation outfit.

He speaks of the very hot weather which was encountered, so hot that men who were accustomed to excessive heat suffered severely. One day two laborers with his party dropped dead from the heat. Notwithstanding all these difficulties, the signal corps pushed along, and though General Chaffee was in advance sometimes during the day, the wire nearly always was up with him at night.

Lieutenant Stanford's party consisted of himself and twelve men of the corps.

"The Japanese," says he, "were a few miles behind us, with 100 enlisted men and twenty carts for transportation, but I was determined that they should not beat us into Pekin, and they did not. The first wire there was ours, at the American minister's house, and the first instrument working was ours. And after that our wire was carrying messages not only for our own government, but for the Russians, English, French, Italian, German and Austrian govern-



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Optician and Jeweler,  
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ments, besides the press." Lieutenant Stanford says he was glad to have had the experience, but would not go through it again, if he can avoid it.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Compiled by John C. Heller & Co., Abstractors, 32 East Berry St.)

—City—  
Hattie B. Heffelfinger to Henry and Barbara Kappel, lot 144, Rockhill's 2nd, for \$2,500.

—Country—  
Rosamond McCrory, et al., to Martha Maxfield, pt. sec. 15 and pt. s. w. cor. s. e. ¼, n. ½, sec. 15, 3 a. in Cedar Creek tp., for \$100.

Florence Dever to Martha Maxfield, pt. sec. 15, pt. s. w. cor. s. e. ¼, n. ½, sec. 15, 3 a. in Cedar Creek tp., for \$400.

Wm. Osterhaus to John F. Noll, s. ½, n. w. ¼, sec. 2, Marion tp., for \$1,000.

John F. Noll to Adelheit Osterhaus, s. ½, n. w. ¼, sec. 2, Marion tp., for \$1,000.

C. E. Pfeiffer to Ferdinand F. Heche, lot 41, North Wayne add., for \$400.

Wm. Spangler to M. H. Litzenberg, n. ½ fl., sec. 26, Maumee tp., for \$2,442.

### A STORY OF THACKERAY.

The psychologic genesis of many a scene in fiction no doubt would reveal something as interesting as the scene itself if known. In Mrs. Fiske's play, "Becky Sharp," the second act

reflects much that was superficial of the Napoleonic period, but it also shows, in its climax, the terror of Napoleon that prevailed at the time. The scene of alarm as the ball at Brussels is broken up by the sound of cannon, briefly described in "Vanity Fair" and elaborately pictured in Thackeray's play, may have developed in Thackeray's brain from one of his very youthful experiences.

"When I first saw England," said Thackeray in one of his lectures, "she was in mourning for the young Princess Charlotte, the hope of the empire. I came from India as a child, and our ship touched at an island on the way home, where my black servant took me a walk over rocks and hills till we passed a garden where we saw a man walking. 'That is he,' said the black man; 'that is Napoleon; he eats three sleep every day and all the children he can lay hands on!' There were people in the British dominions besides that poor black who had an equal terror and horror of the Corsican." Of course the island was St. Helena. This incident of childhood made such an impression upon Thackeray that he carried it in mind through life, and there can be no doubt that his famous scene in "Vanity Fair" was in a measure inspired by the incident.

### MEN'S SUITINGS.

For Fall and Winter wear. See the large line at G. Schmidt's, Merchant Tailor, 57 East Berry St. All work guaranteed.

You Furnish the Boy  
And We  
Will Make  
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We present here a few ideas in Fall and Winter Clothing for the little fellows—high in quality, fit and workmanship, low in price. Here are suits that for originality of design exceed any that we have ever shown. They will be found right in every particular.

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NOBBY VESTEE SUITS for little boys—3 to 8 years old—in all the newest patterns of fancy fabrics . . . . . \$2

VERY FASHIONABLE VESTEE SUITS for lads—ages 3 to 8 years—in a large variety of new and pretty patterns of cheviots and cassimeres all prettily trimmed at . . . . . \$3

BOYS' DOUBLE BREASTED KNEE PANT SUITS for ages 8 to 16 years of fine all-wool cassimeres, chevots, worsteds and serges, in the newest and most desirable patterns, extra well made and trimmed. \$2.50

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**THE BELL,**  
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Double-Breasted Sack Suits  
For Men's Fall  
and Winter Wear.

There's a stylish dressiness about the double-breasted sack coat if it is made right; but it's easy to find the poorly-made kinds; and no coat gets out of shape so quickly as a double-breasted coat that lacks good workmanship and right finishing. Easy to make them look well, harder to make them wear well. The work is mastered by the painstaking carefulness of the tailors who do the unseen work.

We Have the Right Kind.

Our suits will hold their shape. They are made with full fronts that give the desired breadth—the tailor's art is shown in the cutting. Made of Black and Blue Chevots and Scotch mixtures, silk-faced or plain.

The Price \$5 and \$7.

Of course, handsomer double-breasted suits

At \$10 and up to \$16.

Interested? Easy to see. Come in and take a look.

**The Bell,**  
18 Calhoun Street.

# A FIGHT TO A FINISH

## Coal Roads Announce That the Miners Must Take 10 Per Cent. or Nothing.

### TO BE NO OTHER CONCESSIONS

New York, Oct. 5.—The Evening Post says:

"President J. Rogers Maxwell, of the Jersey Central, and the president of another coal-carrying railway, who declined to be quoted for publication, made the definite announcement today that no further concessions would be granted to the striking miners, and that if they did not accept the 10 per cent offered the strike would be fought out."

"It is supposed that this decision was reached at a joint meeting of coal railway presidents and operators, which was held at the Lehigh Valley offices in this city last evening."

**MITCHELL DENIES A STORY.**

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 5. President Mitchell, when shown a dispatch today in which an officer of a political organization was quoted as saying the anthracite coal miners' strike was planned by Mr. Johnson, of the national democratic committee, the mayor of Indianapolis and himself, at a recent meeting in Indianapolis, said that he was quoted to believe that the gentleman quoted had made the charge, and stated positively that this story was untrue. He said he did not know Mr. Johnson and had never held a conversation with Mayor Taggart in his life.

President Mitchell said that any man who would inaugurate a strike in the interest of any political organization would be deserving of the severest punishment which could be meted out to him and that any person who would make political capital out of the suffering and misery of the men, women and children of the anthracite region would be unworthy of the privilege of citizenship.

Superintendent Keith, of this division of the Lehigh railway, says he shipped 102 cars of coal, the lowest quantity yet. This is about one-eighth of the normal shipment. The tonnage of Cox Bros. & Co. is not included in this statement, as they ship over their private road.

**STRIKERS NOT IN WANT.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 5.—There is no change in the strike situation today in the Wyoming valley. The strikers today issued a card to the public, in which they say they are not in need of food, that they did not communicate with President Mitchell in regard to that matter and that the report was circulated to injure their cause.

**TO HAVE DEMONSTRATION.**

Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 5.—The striking mine workers here are making preparations for a demonstration tomorrow similar to that which took place in Wilkesbarre. President Mitchell today sent word from Hazleton that he will come here tomorrow afternoon and address an open air meeting to be held by the strikers. Other officials of the United Mine Workers are also expected.

Meetings of the various local unions are in progress here completing arrangements for the street parade. Invitations have been extended to the mine workers throughout the region and it is expected that ten thousand men and boys will participate.

**TROUBLE WAS AVOIDED.**

Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 5.—Advices received here early today state that the North Franklin colliery, at Trevorton, operated by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, is idle, the employees having failed to report for work.

There was no disturbance. The mine employed about 800 men and boys. Indications last night pointed to serious trouble at Trevorton when General Gobin received information that 1,500 strikers intended marching to the colliery.

It was later learned that the march had been dissuaded from their purpose by the strike leaders, but battery C, which had been ordered

close down the North Franklin colliery at Trevorton until after the strike was settled. Foreman William F. Luckenbill was notified to inform the men the colliery would be run as usual today. At 5 o'clock the whistle was blown, but not over a dozen miners appeared on the streets in their working clothes.

They had not gone far on the way to the breaker before they were stopped by men who had worked yesterday. After a little persuasion all the miners returned home, saying they would not go into the mines until the trouble was ended.

For weeks they have been guarded by deputies and have lived in terror of armed marchers making a descent upon the town at any time.

The big strike demonstration against the colliery last night by 1,500 Mount Carmel men was sufficient to cause the North Franklin employees to quit, notwithstanding the presence at the colliery of over 400 deputies and coal and iron policemen, armed with Winchester.

It is likely an attempt will be made to resume the colliery in a day or two. Everything has quieted down between here and Mount Carmel and there is no evidence today of the excitement caused last night by the Mount Carmel marchers.

**DECIDE NOT TO STRIKE.**

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 5.—The employees of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company, operating ten collieries in the Panther Creek and Nesquehoning, held a meeting last night at Lansford and decided to continue at work. They are now working ten hours a day. The company has given them the 10 per cent increase and promised to make any other concessions granted by the big coal mining companies. Three small individual collieries in the vicinity of Tamaqua are still at work. They employ about 300 men and boys.

**ONLY WASHORIES AT WORK.**

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 5.—There is no change in the strike situation in the Lackawanna valley, not a mining industry being at work except the five washeries which the Lackawanna company has managed to keep going since the strike began.

National Organizer Diller left here early this morning for the Panther Creek valley, in the lower region, and he says he is confident every one of the mines there will be shut down by tomorrow night.

He said, before leaving, that there will be no miners' convention, at least not until every company and operator in the region is heard from on the proposed wage increase.

**NO POLL TAX WAS ASSESSED**

**THE LEVY FIXED BY COUNCIL LEAVES IT OUT.**

It Was an Oversight Which City Attorney Shambaugh Says Can be Remedied.—Notes.

The tax levy fixed by the city council last month for the first time in the history of the city fails to levy a poll tax on voters. In certifying to the county auditor Comptroller Berghoff referred only to the ninety-five cent levy against real and personal property. Deputy Auditor Orlieb noticed that the poll tax was not mentioned and called at the city hall to investigate and found that the ordinance passed by the council did not provide for a poll tax. This is clearly a mistake, as the tax against each poll heretofore has been \$2. City Attorney Shambaugh was informed of the mistake and gives an opinion that the council can at its next meeting reconsider the ordinance and amend to make provision for the collection of the poll tax. Each year about \$5,000 poll tax is collected and if the ordinance cannot be amended the city will be that much money short of expected cash.

**MUNICIPAL NOTES.**

The council committee of the whole will meet this evening and consider the reports of the waterworks trustees. The meeting promises to be very interesting.

**FATAL FAMILY ROW.**

Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 5.—M. P. Dryden, a prominent attorney, was shot and killed today by Thomas Workman, his father-in-law in a family quarrel. Workman claims the shooting was done in self-defense.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Alter have returned from an outing at Clear Lake, Mich.

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## COL. W. J. BRYAN CAMPAIGNS IN INDIANA.

### IS GREETED BY BIG CROWDS

#### TALKS TO WORKINGMEN OF EVILS OF TRUSTS.

#### HITS THE TINPLATE COMBINE

#### THE BRIBERY STORY DENIED

BY MISS HAY.

Indianapolis, Oct. 5.—W. J. Bryan began his day's campaign at Noblesville, Ind. He arrived at 5 o'clock and spoke from a stand near the depot for fifteen minutes. His audience was large and liberal with its applause. Mr. Bryan rapidly traced the democratic position on all the issues of the campaign.

He said that the duty of the nation is determined by the people and that if each man will do his full duty conscientiously next November the country's duty in the present emergency will be properly indicated. He then referred to the money question, saying that if any republican should assert that the money question is more important than imperialism, democrats should reply that important as are the finances, they are only secondary when compared with the question of the form of government. Instead of concerning themselves about the parity of citizenship, the republicans had insisted upon discussing the parity of the dollars.

He again accused the republican party with not knowing of any trust except the tea trust, and said that instead they should give some attention to the Standard oil trust, which, he said, "is supporting the republican ticket while you are paying an increased price for oil."

In conclusion he asserted that because of party prejudice the republicans dare not raise their voices against anything for which the party is responsible.

At Arcadia, a ten minute talk was made.

**MR. BRYAN AT TIPTON.**

At Tipton Mr. Bryan was introduced by J. W. Kern, democratic candidate for governor, who presented him as "the next president."

Mr. Bryan said in response:

"I am glad to be introduced to you by the next governor of Indiana, for whatever may be my chance in this race, I do not think there is much doubt about Indiana. Mr. Kern only has Indian to fight for, while I have forty-four other states."

Mr. Bryan discussed the trusts question and said the republicans gained power in 1896 by trust contributions.

"The republican party needs more money now than it did then," he said, "and it could not get it if it did not stand with the trusts."

Explaining the difference between expansion and imperialism, Mr. Bryan said:

"We expand when we take in land for settlement to be built up into states; we expand when we take in people who want to come in and whom we want. We believe that expansion is like marriage; both sides ought to agree to it."

"We do not believe in expansion carried on with an army; we do not believe in bringing people in by force and then denying them the right of full citizenship. You will hear republicans say that the war with the Philippines is similar to the civil war. There is this difference. 'That when the south was held in the union they were to be citizens and not subjects when the war was over. You want to bring the Philippines in and make them subjects and not citizens. We fought then for the adoption of a constitutional amendment that provides that no man could own a slave, and yet before the Philippine war is ended we have the Sulu treaty, which recognizes slavery."

Elwood was the next stop. The audience covered an immense plat ground near the depot and the ten minutes speech to the trusts question. He declared that no employer has a right to vote his employees.

President McKinley to Elwood on the tin plate works here were opened, saying:

"Today the republican party must meet its record on the trust question, on the army question and on its colonial policy. Whenever an institution is opened the republicans make a great day of it and invite distinguished people from abroad to be present at the opening, but when

a trust closes a factory they do not invite a president or anybody else to preside at the closing.

"I find that the tin plate trust has closed tin plate mills all over the country. I find that these trusts organized to monopolize the trade and control the market, and fix the price on raw material and finished product, and the price of labor, are today destroying industrial independence and condemning our citizens to perpetual clerkship under monopoly."

"The republican party is building up an industrial despotism that compels millions of people to get on their knees in the morning and pray to the trust, 'Give us this day our daily bread.' I want to ask you whether you believe it is a good system."

Mr. Bryan again referred to the "closing down of a part of the works of the barbed wire and wire nail trust," as he put it, until after election, and asked:

"What does it mean? It means intimidation of the working men. It means that the manufacturer, when he has a monopoly, will attempt to coerce his employees."

In closing Mr. Bryan said he wanted to see every private monopoly in the United States destroyed, root and branch, so that our young men can aspire to something in this world."

At Alexandria, another manufacturing town, Mr. Bryan also attacked the trusts.

**SPEAKS AT MARION.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 5.—At Marion, Mr. Bryan declared that the republican party had made so many turns in recent years that there was very little left of the old party. It had been a bimetallic party and was now a gold standard party. It had been a greenback party and a liberty-loving party. It was neither any more. Lincoln had signed an income tax bill; now the party was pronounced in its opposition to such a tax. Indeed, the party had degenerated from a party of convictions to a party of mere political activities, many of its adherents waiting to read the party platform before forming their opinions on political questions. Indeed, the republican party reminded him, Mr. Bryan said, of a group of athletes trained to turn somersaults in concert when the leaders say "Hop."

**MAKES SWORN DENIAL.**

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Zula D. Hay, of Jacksonville, Ill., has sent to Senator Jones, chairman of the democratic national committee, a sworn denial of the story alleging that she knew W. J. Bryan to have been paid \$150,000 to cause a silver plank to be incorporated in the Kansas City platform.

**GOL. ROOSEVELT IN IOWA.**

Waterloo, Iowa, Oct. 5.—Governor Roosevelt was greeted here today by great crowds. Excursion trains brought in thousands of visitors, while large numbers of farmers drove in with their families from the surrounding country to catch a glimpse of the republican vice presidential candidate during his two hours' stop. The governor, Senator-elect Dilliver, Governor Shaw and Curtis Gould, of Boston, were taken for a drive about the city and later lunched together. In the afternoon they all spoke to the crowds from a platform in City park.

**PINGREE WILL NOT GIVE UP.**

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 5.—Governor Pingree will call a special session of the state legislature to be convened at Lansing on Wednesday or Thursday of next week. The object is to consider a joint resolution authorizing submission to the people at the general election next month of a constitutional amendment to permit the taxing of railroads and other corporations on the value of their property, instead of specifically upon their earnings as at present. The Acheson act, which was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court a short time ago, provided for this change. Other attempts at tax reform legislation during Governor Pingree's incumbency have proved futile and he says that he wishes to put those members of the legislature who are candidates for re-election on record, as well as to obtain once for all an expression from the people at large on this question.

**CHARGES DISMISSED.**

New York, Oct. 5.—The grand jury today reported a dismissal of the charges which have frequently been made against the Traders' Fire Insurance company officials.

P. Cosentino is at home from a business trip to Grand Rapids.

# FRANCE'S PROGRAM

## Complete Detailed Procedure for the Settlement of the Chinese Crisis.

### BRITAIN FOLLOWS UNCLE SAM

Paris, Oct. 5.—The following official note was issued this afternoon: "The foreign minister has instructed the representatives of France to sound the powers whose troops are co-operating with ours in the extreme east regarding the adoption of a common program for the negotiations with China. Our representatives acquitted themselves of this mission and left with the various foreign ministers a copy of the following note:

"In sending their force to China the powers proposed, first of all, to deliver their legations. Thanks to their union and the valor of their troops this aim has been attained. It is now a question of securing from the Chinese government, which has given Prince Cheng and Li Hung Chang full powers to negotiate and treat in its name, suitable reparation for the past and secure guarantees for the future."

"Penetrated with the spirit which inspired the previous declarations of the different governments, the government of the republic believes it fulfills upon their real sentiments in the following points, which it submits as a basis for negotiations to be entered upon immediately after the usual verification of the powers:

"1. The punishment of the principal culprits, who will be designated by the representatives of the powers at Peking."

"2. The maintenance of the prohibition of the imports of arms."

"3. Equitable indemnities to states, societies and individuals."

"4. The formation of a permanent guard for Peking legations."

"5. The dismantlement of the fortifications."

"6. Military occupation of two or three points on the road from Tien Tsin to Peking, which would thus be always open to the legations wishing to go to the sea or to forces proceeding to Peking from the sea."

"Presented collectively by the representatives of the powers, supported by the presence of the international troops, it appears impossible to the government of the republic that these conditions, which are so legitimate, would not be accepted by the Chinese government at an early date."

**BRITAIN FOLLOWS UNCLE SAM.**

Washington, Oct. 5.—The British government has followed in the footsteps of the United States in the Chinese negotiations. It has authorized Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister at Peking, to enter in relations with the Chinese officials, just as our government did in the case of Mr. Conger.

It has left to its minister discretionary power to pass upon the sufficiency of the credentials of Li Hung Chang, Prince Ching and the other Chinese envoys.

Although the formal response to the last German proposition has not been returned by Lord Salisbury, the United States government has been informed that though such answer may not be made at all, being unnecessary in the light of recent developments, yet Sir Claude MacDonald will be instructed to make the same inquiries relative to the punishment of the Chinese ringleaders that have been committed to Mr. Conger.

The first practical outcome of Special Commissioner Rockhill's investigation has been an instruction to him by the state department to co-operate with Minister Conger in the inquiries with which that official is now charged, relative to the character of the Chinese envoys and punishments.

The next step toward the final settlement of the Chinese troubles must come from Mr. Conger and his brother ministers at Peking.

They are charged now with inquiries into the matter of punishments which certainly will occupy some time. And it is not expected that much headway will be made in other directions until this phase of the case has been passed.

The latest French note is a movement toward the initiation of negotiations for a settlement while the question of a punishment is still pending. It is probable that exchanges will take place with the French note as the basis while the ministers at Peking are at work under their instructions upon the subject of punishments, but even though some action is made in the French note it is not likely, in the judgment of officials here, that all of the complex questions involved therein can be agreed upon by the powers before Mr. Conger and the other ministers are ready to report upon their touching of the case.

Touching the French proposals the officials here have already received intimations that the Chinese government is preparing to offer strenuous objection to some of them, notably to the propositions looking to the raising of the Taku forts and the interdiction of importation of firearms. It is believed here, however, that the imperial government will make an earnest effort to meet the demands of the powers respecting the punishments.

The news that Yung Lu is not to be forced upon the Chinese peace commission is well received here as indicating the readiness of the Chinese government to lead any reasonable remonstrance from the powers.

**CHINESE ASTONISHED.**

Shanghai, Thursday, Oct. 4.—The astonishment of the Chinese was great when, today, they received official notification from the viceroy to the effect that foreign pressure had necessitated the degradation of prominent members of the court. The new German cable from Che Fou to Tien Tsin, has been opened.

It is reported that the allies will demand an indemnity which will aggregate \$40,000,000 (\$200,000,000).

**ORDERS COUNTERMANDED.**

Tien-Tsin, Wednesday, Oct. 3.—The orders given to Young-Lu (the commander-in-chief of the northern armies) to join Li Hung Chang have been countermanded.

A landing party from the British armored cruiser Aurora has occupied Ching-Wan-Tsai.

An order has been sent to Shanghai for the immediate delivery of a plant for the construction of a branch railroad from Tung-Ho, on the Gulf of Liao-Tung, to Ching-Wan-Tsai, also for the erection of a pier to which ships may be moored.

It is expected the work will be completed within two months, thus securing facilities for a winter port.

It is reported that the Russians are moving from Shan-Hai-Kuan towards Chin-Chau.

The Germans have demanded possession of the railroad between Tien-Tsin and Peking and the Russians have agreed to let them have it.

The Germans will shortly begin to repair the portion of the road between Yang-Tsun and Peking.

**EARL LI GOING TO PEKING.**

Tien-Tsin, Oct. 3, via Shanghai, Oct. 4.—Li Hung Chang and M. De Giers, the Russian minister to China, had a lengthy conference today, after which it was announced that Li Hung Chang would depart for Peking tomorrow.

Li Hung Chang will be accompanied by the Russian admiral, a Russian general and his own bodyguard. Peaceful conditions prevail.

The failure of the Russians to rebuild the road to Peking is causing talk among the commanders of the restoration of the line to English owners for reconstruction and operation.

The sick among the Americans are being sent to the hospital ship Maine, which will sail soon for Nagasaki and Yokohama.

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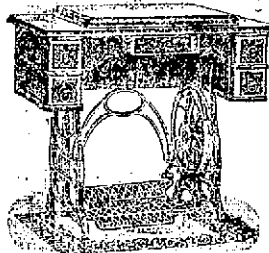
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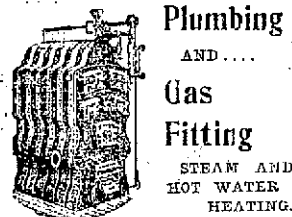
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**LOCAL LINES.**

Charles Emanuel, of Auburn, is at the Wayne.

A. C. Aurentz has returned from a trip to Pittsburgh.

Miss Carrie Roth has returned from a visit in Cleveland.

B. W. Skelton transacted business in Huntington yesterday.

Carl Sauer has returned from a business trip to Lafayette.

The Bathbone Sisters will give a tea on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. R. T. McDonald will return Sunday from her New York visit.

Mrs. Tom Crighton is the guest of friends in Huntington and Wabash.

Miss Clara Lukens is visiting friends in Chicago for a few days.

Rev. Somerville Light, of Bluffton, will preach at Simpson M. E. church this evening.

Miss Kate Roehrs entertained the members of the R. G. M. N. club on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Potter and Miss Frank Hamilton left today for a visit with friends in Chicago.

The members of the Needlework guild met in the council chamber this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. L. M. McDonald, of Chicago, arrives this evening to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Read.

Mrs. M. S. Mahurin and children have returned from Leland, Mich., where they spent the summer.

Mrs. E. P. Leibman and daughter, Miss Bertha, returned last evening from an extended eastern visit.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Bethany Presbyterian church, will give an ice cream social on Friday evening.

Mrs. Frank Schell and two daughters, of Chicago, are visiting the lady's grandmother, Mrs. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jaxthelmer will celebrate the seventh anniversary of their wedding this evening.

J. Emrick, a laborer in the sewer, had his face badly cut by being struck by a mud bucket Thursday.

The Chosen Friends initiated a class of candidates at Vordermark hall last night and later enjoyed a supper.

Dr. Samuel Wagenhals has been elected president of the Chicago Lutheran theological seminary board of directors.

The schools of Aboite and Lake townships will have a joint institute in the Elektron building Saturday afternoon.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the A. O. E. will give an oyster supper and social Saturday from 5 to 9 p. m. at Library hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Malby, of Pueblo, Col., who have been visiting Judge and Mrs. Allen Zollars, have returned home.

The street cars were stalled for about fifteen minutes by a break in the wires on the Spy Run avenue line Thursday evening.

Prof. T. L. Staples, William Lawson, E. W. Cook and Dr. J. W. Thompson have gone to West lake on a fishing expedition.

Mrs. Phoebe Hamilton and daughters have returned from Badoek, Cape Breton Island, where they spent August and September.

Crighton Williams has returned from Haverhill, Mass., where he was called on account of the illness of his brother, Dr. Allen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Turner have gone to Detroit to attend the wedding of their son, W. H. Turner, which occurs next Tuesday evening.

Miss Alice Ellison and niece, Miss Niel Fontaine, of South Bend, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Ellison, have returned home.

Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M., enjoyed a smoker last night, P. A. Smith, deputy grand commander of Indiana, being the guest of honor.

At Riegel celebrated the thirty-seventh anniversary of his birth yesterday and his friends, of course, all enjoyed the finest of perfects in honor of the event.

The Misses Carrie and Edith Hughes, who have been making an extensive tour of Europe, will arrive in the city Sunday. The ladies are now in New York.

The Knights Templar met at the Temple in social convocation last night and received W. E. Doud and Dr. A. J. Kesler into membership. A banquet was enjoyed later.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rheubottom, of Lagrange, are in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kitzelman, of 62 Kunion avenue. Mr. Rheubottom is the foreman of the Lagrange Call office.

Miss Bertha Girardot, of Denver, Col., who has been visiting friends and relatives in Indiana for the past month, will be the guest of Miss Clara Lantier, of Walton avenue, for the coming two weeks.

Clement Cook has purchased the business of the Fort Wayne Novelty company, which has been conducted in the Arcade under the management of Lauren C. Buck, who has gone to Detroit to take a position with the Polk Directory company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, of 97 Laselle street, were pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening by a company of friends who came in honor of their sixth wedding anniversary. The evening was spent with singing and music, Mr. Weighmaster presiding and several selections upon the mandolin, accompanied by Mrs. Bruce at the piano. Light refreshments were served at a late hour.



Don't reproach your mirror, even if it does say you are growing old so fast. Buy a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor and then see what the mirror says.

**J. C. AYER COMPANY,**  
Practical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

Ayer's Sore Throat  
Ayer's Hair Vigor  
Ayer's Cherry Tooth Paste  
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**RECORDS ARE COMING.**

Adjutant General Gore has forwarded to Capt. W. F. Ranke, Capt. O. C. Meyer and Lieut. P. A. Thompson copies of the history of the Indiana soldiers in the Spanish-American war, and the books will be distributed to the soldiers who served in the Fort Wayne companies and the battery. The history is published by the state.

**NEW FURNISHINGS COMING.**

Eleven thousand dollars is to be spent in completely refurbishing the New Avenue hotel, and two carloads of new furniture are now en route from New York to this city as the beginning of this work. The house has been recently re-papered and redecorated, and the Hurd Dry Goods company has been given the contract to supply \$4,000 worth of new carpets and draperies.

**POWDER MILL BLOWS UP.**

Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 5.—By an explosion at the heavy powder mills near here last night Daniel Burke and Daniel Hulsebush received injuries from which they have since died, while Reppard DeWitt was so badly burned that he is not expected to recover.

**DUCAL SEAT IS BURNED.**

London, Oct. 5.—A serious fire has occurred at Welbeck Abbey, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, the famous seats of the dukes of Portland. The Oxford wing was gutted. The full extent of the damage cannot be estimated at present, but the priceless pictures and furniture were saved. The duke and duchess of Portland are at present absent from home.

**FIVE DOLLARS A BOX.**

The Price Cut No Figure With Him.

"I want to say for the benefit of some poor dyspeptic that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will give comfort and a cure every time. Five dollars a box would not stop my purchasing them should I ever suffer again as I did for a week before using them.

The one 50 cent box I bought at my druggist's did the work and my digestion is all right again.

Many of my neighbors have also tried these tablets and found them to be just as represented and Mr. Ellms also wants me to use his name in endorsing Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Signed

A. Ellms and

Chas. F. Buzzell, Asst. Postmaster.

South Sudbury, Mass.

Mrs. Jas. Barton, of Toronto, Canada, writes: For eighteen months I suffered from what I supposed was bladder and kidney trouble, and took medicine from three different doctors, without any sign of cure. I felt so ill at last I was hardly able to do my work.

I thought I would try a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and see if they would make me feel better, never really thinking I had dyspepsia, but after only three or four tablets had been taken all the acid trouble disappeared and then I discovered I had had acid dyspepsia, while the doctors had been treating me for kidney and bladder trouble and one of them treated me for rheumatism.

My digestion is fine, my complexion clear and I am able to do my work and low spirits are unknown to me.

I am so thankful for finding a cure so good and so pleasant to take as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I am surprised at the change they have made in me.

All druggists sell and recommend Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they contain only the simple natural digestives, and taken after meals prevent acidity and cause prompt digestion and assimilation of food.

Physicians everywhere endorse them because they are as safe for the child as for the adult; they are invaluable for sour stomach, nervous dyspepsia, heartburn, gas on stomach and bowels and every form of stomach derangement.

**WILL SEE THE ANIMALS.**

Colonel Hill, proprietor of the animal show now exhibiting at Calhoun and Montgomery streets, has invited the children of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth to visit the exhibition, and Superintendent Johnson has decided that the invitation may be accepted. Nearly three hundred of the children will be brought to the city tomorrow and given an opportunity to enjoy the exhibition. Colonel Hill's kindness will be thoroughly appreciated, both by the management and the children at the state home.

**TO HAVE DOMESTIC CONTROL.**

Washington, Oct. 5.—Bishop Maes, of Covington, Ky., who is spiritual director of the order known as "Sisters of Providence," in this country, has sanctioned their connection with the domestic control of the Catholic university of America. Members of this community, which is of French origin, will have also domestic charge of St. Mary's seminary, Baltimore, and St. Charles college, Howard county, Md., during the current scholastic year.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. Mayfield & W.

**GOLFERS, ATTENTION!**

We have just received a large assortment of English Special Golf Clubs, consisting of Drivers, Putters, Brassies, Putterers, etc. We have the largest stock in the city to select from. Also several grades of Golf Balls, Caddy Bags, etc. We carry in stock from fifty to seventy-five clubs, from \$1.00 to \$2.50.

**THE RANDALL WHEEL CO.,**  
413 31 West Berry St.

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Rooms at 216 W. Jefferson; rent reasonable. 4-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath. Inquire 61 E. Wayne St. 5-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, 176 Jackson street. Apply, 127 Union St. 5-tf

FOR RENT—8-room house and bath, 221 W. Wayne St. Apply 241 W. Wayne St. 27-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room on ground floor, grate and use of bath. 170 W. Wayne. 5-tf

FOR RENT—A furnished front room for gentleman; bath and telephone. 63 W. Jefferson St. 26-tf

FOR RENT—The commodious dwelling, No. 219 Madison street. Apply to Fred J. Hayden. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Dwelling of 7 rooms, bath and furnace, 151 East Berry street. Inquire 153 East Berry street. 1-6t

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms for transient and permanent roomers. Apply 24 W. Berry St. Mrs. E. C. Ross. 1-8t

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Nice large room, well furnished, suitable for two persons; with or without board. Inquire 209 West Jefferson street. 19-tf

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished rooms to permanent parties, in Aldine flats, 53 E. Berry street. Apply to Mrs. Smith, room 28. 11-1mo

FOR RENT—A good furnished room, for gentleman or man and wife, in a fine location, near Broadway and Belt line; will rent reasonable. 198 W. Wayne St. 3-6

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished front room, also a side room, with bath and all conveniences. Can accommodate a few table boarders. 29 E. Washington St. 3-1m

FOR RENT—The elegant store room formerly occupied by the Aldine restaurant; fine room for millinery, drugs, fancy bakery, etc.; low rent. Apply to D. N. Foster Furniture Co. 4-1mo

FOR RENT—By the 1st of November, the first floor and basement of the store rooms one door east of Western Union telegraph office, in the Tri-State building. Inquire at the Safety Valve Works. 9-6-1m

FOR RENT—By the 1st of November, the first floor and basement of the store rooms one door east of Western Union telegraph office, in the Tri-State building. Inquire at the Safety Valve Works. 10-5-1m

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either on Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new phone. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 187 W. Berry; 134 W. Main; 191 W. DeWald; 206 Spy Run Ave.; 210 Madison St.; 273 W. Wayne; 217 Broadway; 330 W. Washington; Mingo, Hendricks, Fairfield Ave.; office rooms, 32 E. Berry. Property to sell and money to loan. Schuler & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court St. 10-tf

**'WANTED.'**

WANTED—Two good dining room girls and a porter, at the Rich hotel. 4-tf

FOR SALE—A 4x5 Eastman kodak; good as new; a bargain. E. K. O., Sentinel. 4-2t

WANTED—Two experienced tailors at L. Jaxthelmer & Son, 1

## 500

Tomorrow for Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, worth \$1.00 a pair.  
 1 case Ladies' Hose, with white feet, worth 25c, at 15c a pair.  
 1 case Children's Black Stockings, worth 12 1/2c and 15c, at 8 1/2c a pair.  
 Our Boys' and Girls' 15c Stockings are regular 25c values.  
 1 case Corsets, Summer Netting, good value at 50c, special price 25c.  
 Ladies' Fancy Corsets in all the latest shapes and lengths, special sale price 50c.  
 Henderson Corsets in straight front, short, medium and long lengths, perfect fitting, the best dollar corset made. Ask to see them.  
 25 dozen Ladies' Petticoats, all colors and black, at \$1.25; regular value, \$2.00.  
 Ladies' All-Wool Tricot Waists, latest style cording and trimming, at \$1.98; worth \$2.50; other styles from \$1.25 to \$3.50.  
 Great values in Ladies' Men's and Children's medium and heavy-weight Underwear.  
 50 Seal Fur Scarfs, worth \$2.50, at \$1.69 each.  
 25 Seal Collarettes at \$1.29 each; worth \$2.00.  
 Bargains in Ladies' Wool Dress Skirts, Wrappers, Umbrellas, Men's Shirts, Neckwear, etc.

## Welker &amp; Nablo,

Schmitz Block, 118 Calhoun St.

## The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

FRIDAY, OCT. 5, 1900.

For President,  
**WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.**  
 For Vice President,  
**ADJAI B. STEVENSON.**

## TONIGHT.

Hebrew Temple—Regular weekly religious services.  
 Fifth Ward Bryan Club—Addresses by Hon. Allen Zollers and H. S. Pulce.  
 Pole Raising—Under auspices of republicans at William Weaver's, on Spy Run avenue; addresses by William Geake and C. B. Jackman.  
 Jefferson Club—Special meeting this evening to arrange for reception to Hon. Bourke Cockran.  
 Pressmen—Regular meeting of Union No. 19 at No. 64 East Main street.  
 Plumbers—Regular meeting of Union No. 166 at No. 27 East Bery street, third floor.  
 Hack and Carriage Drivers—Regular meeting of Association No. 133 at No. 207 Calhoun street, third floor.  
 G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Anthony Wayne Post No. 271 at G. A. R. hall.  
 Lodges—Summit City No. 170, P. & A. M.; Fort Camp No. 758, Royal Neighbors; B. P. O. E. No. 155; Concordia No. 41, D. of R.; Royal Templars; Pathfinders; Summit Encampment No. 10, I. O. E. F.; Mad Anthony Tent No. 95, K. O. T. M.; Maumee No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Good Samaritans of the World.  
 Spanish War Veterans—Regular meeting of General Lawton Post No. 8 at G. A. R. hall.  
 Masonic Temple—Week's Events:  
 Friday Evening—Cole & Johnson's "A Trip to Coontown."  
 Saturday Afternoon and Evening—Walker Whiteside in "Hauke" and "Heart and Sword."  
 Broadway Theater—Empire Stock company in "The Senator's Daughter."

## GALVESTON RELIEF FUND

The Sentinel will receive and acknowledge in its columns all subscriptions sent to this office for relief of the destitute and suffering people of Galveston. Cash contributions are more needed than anything else. The following subscriptions are acknowledged:

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It may be that the piece of ice that came near striking Senator Hanna at a political meeting in Chicago last night was thrown with malicious intent. If so it was a base and cowardly assault. But—and we humbly suggest it—may it not be possible that some perturbed republican with Mr. Hanna's recent remarks on the trusts in mind wanted the republican chairman to put that piece of ice where it would do the most good?

Just how near at hand is a settlement of the great strike in the anthracite mining region cannot be guessed, but there is evidently some move afoot that will bring the contest to a close. Meanwhile, the sturdy and determined attitude of the striking miners gives new character to the struggle. They have been offered in some cases an increase of wages if they will return to work. It was rather an alluring bait and doubtless many observers of the strike have thought the miners unwise not to take it. But the miners have answered this concession of the mine-owners by tying up the collieries tighter than ever. There is something more than wages to be settled before the strike will end. The miners want better conditions and they want and wisely, too, some sort of hostage for the future. They realize pretty thoroughly that to get an advance in wages and then return to work wholly at the mercy of the operators is not a very sound guarantee for long enjoyment of what little the strike shall have gained for them.

After working for forty years without a vacation, during which time he has amassed a fortune and made his name known the world over, Thomas B. Jeffery, of bicycle fame, is going to take a rest. Mr. Jeffery is one of the best known and most successful business men of Chicago. He went to work when fifteen years old and now at the age of fifty-five he feels that he is entitled to a rest. No one will dispute his claim to it. Mr. Jeffery is not a jaded old man who has worn himself out in pursuit of business. He is in good health, strong, vigorous and has the manner and appearance of a man many years younger. He attributes his youthfulness to the fact that he has always kept regular habits and hours and has always allowed himself plenty of exercise. He was always an enthusiastic advocate of the bicycle and many of the most notable improvements that have contributed to the perfection of the modern wheel were of his invention. Mr. Jeffery is the type of business man whose example is worth something. He demonstrates that to succeed in business it is not necessary to be a slave to business, notwithstanding he has never found it essential to take long vacations. He has pursued his business life in a fashion that made business constantly yield him all necessary recreations. He retires from active work at a time of life when he is yet capable of life's highest enjoyments.

## THE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

The Fort Wayne Commercial club is making an effort to increase its membership to 800 or more. In the

club's aim is seen a far-reaching ambition for the good of Fort Wayne. It may be true but it is none the less true that in unity there is strength, in concerted action there is might. The Commercial club is only a little over a year old, yet its brief career has made it plain to the most skeptical that Fort Wayne has within her limits enough generous, public-spirited men who will put aside personal feelings and selfish motives and work in common for the good of the city as a whole to accomplish good results by advocating and introducing such improvements as will eventually make Fort Wayne one of the best cities in the country.

The present year will no doubt be a fruitful one for the club, as it has on its unfinished business list such enterprises as better depot facilities, the Harrison street tunnel, an auditorium building, new factories with employment for many, interurban railways and other projects. When these questions are taken up separately their proper solution will require much work and perseverance, as will be readily admitted.

## LAWYER PATRICK ARRESTED.

New York, Oct. 5.—Albert T. Patrick, lawyer, and Charles Jones were locked up in police headquarters last night on charges of forgery. The complaint is that two checks made out to Patrick's order on Swanson & Sons, of Wall street, and to checks made out to the same order on the Fifth Avenue Trust company the signature of William M. Rice being affixed. Rice died recently, leaving a large estate. Jones was his confidential clerk and, the police say, a tool of Patrick. Experts in handwriting, Carvalho, Kinsey and Dr. Hagan, of Troy, all examined the signatures and pronounced them clumsy forgeries. Patrick was arrested by Detective Carey just after he left the New York safety deposit vaults, where the strong box of the millionaire was opened. Jones was arrested at 50 Madison avenue.

## GOLD STRIKE IN AUSTRALIA.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.—A newspaper received today from Sydney, N. S. W., says a sensational gold discovery has been made at Long Flat, near Gundagai, N. S. W. Pieces of gold covered with oxide of iron, have been found, many pieces weighing up to three-quarters of a pound tray. Fully 2,600 ounces were obtained. Half a prospecting dish of fine dirt taken out of a shute panned out about twenty-five ounces of gold. Gold still shows quite as good in the roof drive, there being, apparently, a seam of almost pure gold.

It's worry, care, anxiety, overwork, indigestion that wear out your nerves, destroy your sleep and make you fretful, cross and peevish. It's Dr. Miles' Nerve that quiets the irritated nerves, gives zest to the appetite, and brings sweet, refreshing sleep to the tired brain. Try it.

"I had headache, palpitation, constipation, lost appetite and could not sleep. Was broken down with nervous prostration. But Dr. Miles' Nerve cured me." NESS M. MORAKOVS, N. Adams, Mich. Sold by druggists on guarantee.

Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

## A DOUBLE MURDER

BELIEVED TO BE INVOLVED IN THE AFFAIR.

## THE MYSTERY AT CEDAR LAKE

TWO HEADS THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN IN THE SACK.

## BLOOM'S SENTENCE STANDS

SUPREME COURT AGAINST THE WARREN MAN.

Crown Point, Ind., Oct. 5.—From stories told by Tony Hetzler and J. Michaels, a fisherman, concerning the human head fished out of Cedar lake the theory now is two persons were murdered. Tony Hetzler declares that something dropped out of the lower end of the bag while he was pulling it into the boat. It has been assumed that this was a weight, but the new theory is that it was the second head. The dental plate was pointed out half an hour later lying on the seat of the boat and brought in by Dr. Osinski. He said that part of the hair examined by him was that of a man's head, while a number of dentists positively assert that the dental plate belonged to a woman. The story related by J. Michaels is being investigated. Michaels asserts that a boat rented by him during the summer of 1899 to a young man and woman was discovered the next day to be blood-stained. Michaels claims to have learned that the same man and woman hired a vehicle and were driven from Crown Point to Cedar lake, and that the man returned alone, saying that his companion had become ill and had taken a train to Chicago. The detectives have not been able to locate the driver of the rig and doubt the story.

## KEPT A PIONEER TAVERN.

Ossian, Ind., Oct. 5.—Louis C. Justus, a prominent figure in the early pioneer life of this section, died at his home in this place at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, at the age of nearly eighty years. Mr. Justus located in Wells county fifty years ago and for some time ran a cooper shop at Murray. Later he was a pioneer tavern-keeper on the Wells-Allen county line, when Fort Wayne was accessible only by wagon road. In recent years Mr. Justus has lived at Sheldon, but a few weeks ago he and his wife removed to Ossian, to be near their son, Elzey Justus. Four years ago Mr. Justus was stricken with paralysis. He has slowly declined in health, and for three weeks previous to his death had been unable to take nourishment. He was twice married and leaves a widow and two sons, M. M. Justus, of Bluffton, and Elzey Justus, of Ossian.

## VETERANS HOLD REUNION.

Churubusco, Ind., Oct. 5.—Surviving veterans of the One-hundred-and-twenty-ninth Indiana volunteer infantry held their annual reunion at the U. B. church in this place yesterday. Dennis Monahan, of Fort Wayne, was elected president of the association, and Hon. E. G. McLeamy, of Fremont, secretary and treasurer. Business sessions were held during the day, and the evening was given over to a campfire, where addresses were made by Judge S. M. Henck and R. B. Hanna, of Fort Wayne; Professor Belts, Rev. Tinkham, Rev. Thomas and others. The Churubusco male quartet, the Ladies' Military band, of Waterloo, Miss Lois Fowler and Mrs. Flora Fellers contributed to the musical program, and the recitations of Miss Ella Colledge were highly enjoyed. The old One-hundred-and-twenty-ninth was recruited at Fort Wayne and Kendallville. Under command of Col. C. A. Zollinger it saw some of the hardest fighting of the last two years of the civil war.

## A BLUFFTON PRODIGY.

Bluffton, Ind., Oct. 5.—Harry Beryl Merriss, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merriss, of this city, is a prodigy in memory. He remembers accurately anything he has ever heard or read, no matter how difficult the subject or the composition. After listening to the reading of an essay or a poem, regardless of its length, he can at once recite it almost word for word, without the slightest hesitation. He can give correctly the dates of every war and the principle men and events connected with each. The history of the Greek and Trojan war he can repeat from beginning to end. The names of all the noted generals of ancient and modern history are at his tongue's end. He can tell the name of every president of the United States. He can name them in rotation either way, and can tell when each was born, when he died, when he was elected to the presidency, how long he served and the dates of his

term of office. He cannot be led into error in regard to any date relating to American history or politics.

His wonderful memory is not the only thing that makes the boy a prodigy. In arithmetic he can calculate any problem in addition, subtraction, division or multiplication in a moment's time. His ability in this respect is extraordinary. Give him the date of your birth and he will instantly tell you your age to the day; or give him your exact age and he will at once tell you the day of your birth.

With his other accomplishments, young Merriss is a wonder in spelling. No word is too difficult for him, and he will, without an instant's pause, correctly spell the longest and hardest words in the English language, either forward or backward.

The boy is phenomenally intelligent in every respect, and during the past few months has been the subject and study of medical and psychological experts. Eminent specialists say that they have never before seen a human whose memory and other intellectual abilities are so remarkable. He is fond of play. When with other boys he acts and plays "perfectly natural."

## BIG OIL STRIKE.

Muncie, Ind., Oct. 5.—The strongest oil well ever developed in Delaware county was drilled in last evening on the property of the county at the infirmary building, four miles east of Muncie, its capacity being estimated at 100 barrels daily. When shot, the oil shot forth sixty feet in the air, and prospects are that it will be a flowing well. The find is on an undeveloped territory, the land being leased by the Liberty Gas and Oil company of Muncie, composed of Republic Iron company stockholders here and in Chicago.

## BLOOM MUST STAY IN PRISON.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 5.—The supreme court has affirmed the conviction of Thomas Bloom for manslaughter. Bloom lived on a farm in Huntington county, and Bess, the murdered man, was an oil well driller. Bess worked from noon until midnight and drove to and from his work. He rented a place in Bloom's barn for his horse and buggy. Bloom suspected Bess of stealing his corn and put marked wooden pins in the path of the cows. Thus he found that Bess was stealing. One night Bloom and his son concealed themselves in the barn loft and watched. They saw Bess and a companion take corn, oats and chickens, put them in Bess' buggy and drive away. The next night they watched again, and when Bess was putting a bundle of Bloom's hay into his buggy he was shot. Bloom aimed at Bess' feet, but stepped back as he shot and the charge struck Bess at the knee, and from the effects of the wound Bess died. Upon conviction Bloom was sentenced to serve from two to twenty-one years in the Indiana state prison.

## AN ENERGETIC TRUSTEE.

Rochester, Ind., Oct. 5.—W. V. S. Norris, trustee of Liberty township, Fulton county, has employed himself as a teacher in one of the district schools. A few days before the opening of the school, it is alleged, Mr. Norris circulated a petition asking that he, as the trustee, appoint himself as teacher. Then he contracted with himself at a remunerative salary. After he had taught for a few days the county superintendent notified him that inasmuch as he had no license to teach his employment was illegal, and that he would be liable on his bond if he paid out any money to himself as a teacher. During the time Mr. Norris has been trustee he has given his township two high schools, and his object in invading the teacher's realm was to give them an object lesson in correct work.

## DETERMINED TO DIE.

Flora, Ind., Oct. 5.—The dispatches of Tuesday told of the attempt by Oscar C. Marsh, formerly a bridge contractor, of Cleveland and Chicago, to commit suicide by cutting his throat; prompt interference by Dr. Peters saving him from immediate death. Marsh was conveyed to his hotel, where he showed every symptom of speedy convalescence. While lying in bed, however, he forced open the stitches by raising himself on his head and heels, and then he thrust his fingers into the gaping wound and tore at his jugular vein until he severed it, death resulting quickly. Mr. Marsh was 53 years old, with children both at Cleveland and Chicago. He left a letter explaining the cause, but this is withheld from publicity.

## FIRST TIME IN MANY YEARS.

Goshen, Ind., Oct. 5.—H. H. Miller, of Chicago, and Mrs. Cyrus Platt, of Leesburg, were called to this city by the death of Mrs. Solomon Sorbaugh, a sister. It was their first meeting since they left the parental home in Pennsylvania, thirty-four years ago.

## A GOOD HOUSEKEEPER

Wants the very best Curtains and Draperies that she can procure at a nominal cost. She wants her house to look temptingly neat without having to pay extravagant prices to make it so. And that is why she comes to THE PEOPLE'S STORE to purchase these items. For this, the first week in October, we have an OPENING SALE of

**Lace Curtains, Tapestry and Rope Portieres, Curtain and Drapery Materials.**

The Curtin chance of the season. A gathering more than desirable, introducing the newest novelties of the foremost manufacturers, priced to preclude the possibility of competition. A rare display and offering of these beautiful goods at unusually low prices.

## Lace Curtains--Specials.

150 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, \$1.50 value, opening price, **\$1.00** pair.

Other Nottingham Curtains, a large and complete assortment, ranging in price from 90c to **\$5.00** pair.

100 pair Irish Point Curtains, wide and extra long, regular \$6.00 value, opening price **\$5.00** pair.

A fine selection of Irish Point Curtains, original and exclusive patterns, ranging in price from \$3.90 to \$10.00 pair.

60 pairs Brussels Net and Tambour Curtains, dainty, exquisite patterns, regular \$6.50 value, for a special feature, at **\$5.00** pair.

Finer Brussels Net and Tambour Curtains up to \$10.00 pair.

Swiss Ruffled Curtains, 100 pairs, \$1.25 values, opening price, 90c pair.

EXTRA SPECIAL—Swiss Ruffled Curtains, worked in Tambour, very pretty effect, were \$2.00, special for the opening week, at **\$1.63** pair. Only 30 pairs of these.

Ruffled Curtains, some plain ruffle, some lace edged, ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$8.00 pair.

## Tapestry Portieres--Rope Portieres.

200 pair Fine Broaded Tapestry Portieres, 12 colors to select from, regular \$3.50 value, opening price, only **\$2.75** pair.

Fine Broaded Tapestry Curtains, a large assortment of colors and styles, at \$3.90, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50, up to \$10.00 pair.

SPECIAL—Roman Stripe and Badgad Tapestry Curtains, very new, regular \$5.00 values, special for opening week, \$3.90 pair.

Rope Portieres, for single or double doors, over 20 different styles to select from. For single doors, price \$1.50 to \$2.75 pair. For double doors, price \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$5.00 pair.

## Rug Offering Extraordinary

Oriental Cheik Rugs, fringed ends, 30 in. by 60 in. in size, bright, cheerful and substantial patterns, worth \$3.00, special price, **\$1.25** each.

A beautiful assortment of Smyrna and Moquette Rugs, in three sizes, at lowest possible prices.

## Tapestry and Drapery Piece Goods.

New Roman Stripe Tapestry or Drapery Materials, 50 in. wide, cheerful colors, worth 75c yard, special opening price, 62 1/2c yard.

Ottoman Tapestry Materials, 50 in. wide, broad effects, several colors, real \$1.00 value, as a special feature, now 75c yard.

New French Brocatelle and Upholstery goods from \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, up to \$3.75 yard.

Rug Fringes, all colors and mixed shades, at 10c yard and 12 1/2c yard.

## Sash Curtain Goods.

New Curtain Swisses, a fine assortment, figured, at 10c yard.

Double Width Curtain Swisses, new and original patterns, 15c and 20c yard.

Fish Nets, for Sash or Door Curtains, extra wide, at 12 1/2c yard.

Fish Nets, bordered and scalloped, fine quality, at 15c yard.

New Madras Cloth, figured, cream and colored tints, at 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c yard.

Cable Net, 3 yards wide, fine mesh, 60c yard.

Botinet, plain, fine quality, 48 in. wide, 25c yard.

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Pearl Netting, a new idea for sash curtains, pretty designs, 60c to \$1.00 yard.

Door Panels, ready to hang, in Battenberg and Irish Point, at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.00 each.

Swiss Net Ruffling for Curtains, 10c yard.

New assortment of Silklines and Figured Denims, at 12 1/2c yard.

SPECIAL—A 4-foot Oak Pole, with brackets and trimmings, complete, for 15c.

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**DR. B. G. AND—** To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex may consult me free of charge at my office, 14 W. Wayne St. Telephone 245.

Paris' latest innovation in street lighting is oil lamps. They are not the sort of lamps used a hundred years ago, when the cry was "aristocrats a la lanterne," but enormous structures that give out 1,000 candle power each.

## SHOP AND RAIL.

EAST CAR SHOPS HAVE PLENTY OF ORDERS.

TAKE UP OTHERS NEXT WEEK

INCLUDED ARE SOME 100,000 POUND CAPACITY CARS.

NICKEL PLATE AUDITOR DEAD

JAMES P. CURRY EXPIRES AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

THE CAR BUILDERS IN THE EAST CAR SHOPS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ARE THIS WEEK WINDING UP THE CONSTRUCTION OF 200 BOX CARS, UPON WHICH THEY HAVE BEEN AT WORK FOR SOME TIME, TURNING OUT FIVE EACH DAY. AS SOON AS THIS TASK IS COMPLETED THE CAR BUILDERS WILL THEN TAKE UP AN ORDER FOR 200 GONDOLAS. THEY WILL ALSO BUILD THIRTY 100,000 POUNDS GONDOLA HOPPER BOTTOM CARS, WHICH IN SHOP PARLANCE ARE KNOWN AS "GG" CARS. TEN NARROW GAUGE GONDOLAS FOR THE LITTLE RAILWAY KNOWN AS THE WASHINGTON AND WAYNESBURG ROAD WILL ALSO BE BUILT IN THE SHOPS IN THIS CITY THIS FALL. WITH THIS NEW WORK AND THE USUAL REPAIR WORK THERE IS NO DANGER OF ANY PART OF THE EAST CAR SHOPS BEING IDLE FOR SOME MONTHS.

### ENGINES CHANGES.

Engine 155 has been assigned to a passenger run on the Third district of the Nickel Plate and there are now four engines in the passenger service on that district where there were only three formerly. The object in adding to the power is to give more time for cleaning the engines at terminals. Following is the new arrangement: Engine 175 on trains 1 and 2, Engineers Leonard and Peters alternating at the throttle; engine 171, trains 3 and 4, Engineers Maroney and Studer; engine 155 and engine 163, alternating on trains 5 and 6, with Engineers P. McDushin and C. F. Long at the throttle on different days.

### VETERAN PAYMASTER RETIRES

Robert Bell, who has been paymaster of the Chicago and Alton since 1882, and has been in the employ of the company since 1861, has resigned. After forty years of continuous service, Mr. Bell looks back to the time when he paid the men from a hand car. He has kept in touch with the progress of the railroad during the whole of the long period and leaves the service of the Alton road voluntarily, at the age of 68 years, in full health and vigor, and with the good wishes of all his associates.

### AUDITOR CURRY DEAD.

A telegram from Cleveland at 11 o'clock this morning conveyed to The Sentinel news of the death of James P. Curry, a gentleman who is well known to the Nickel Plate railway employees in this city. The particulars concerning the demise of Mr. Curry were not given in the brief message, but it is known here that he has been in poor health for more than a year, being afflicted with Bright's disease, and it is presumed that death was due to that malady. Mr. Curry was auditor of the Nickel

Plate road for eighteen years, ever since the company was organized, and was not only known to all the men employed on that line, but was also well known and highly respected in other circles.

### SLIGHT WRECK AT COESSE.

Second section of eastbound freight train No. 72, on the Pennsylvania, had a car off the tracks at Coesse last night in such shape that it required over an hour to get the wheels back in position. In the meantime passenger train No. 8 was waiting for the right-of-way to be cleared and was about half an hour late when she arrived in this city. No damage, other than that mentioned, resulted from the derailment.

### LOCAL FREIGHT BUSINESS.

In response to the inquiry "How's business?" a Pennsylvania freight house man this morning said it was good and as evidence stated that the company was at present consuming 800 one-cent revenue stamps daily. This means that there are on an average 800 shipping bills issued each day. This is considerably above the business of a few months ago. Car Service Agent H. M. Elliott's report for September also indicated an increase in local business, there being loaded and unloaded in this city during that month 1,538 cars, beating the best previous record by nearly 100 car loads.

### DYNAMO SHIPMENTS.

Today was another busy one for the shipping department of the electric works. There were loaded for shipment a 4,000-light dynamo for Wapakoneta, Ohio; a 1,000-lighter for Tremont, Ill., and a 60-light arc for Rockville, Ind.

### INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Pittsburg Fireman A. McMillan is off duty on account of sickness. Mrs. Theodore Gould will leave in a few days for New York to visit her son Carroll.

Nickel Plate brakeman R. Kramer is working again on the Nickel Plate, after a brief rest.

The Chicago Marine band was on Nickel Plate train No. 2 yesterday afternoon, en route east.

The Bass works yesterday sent an 100-horse power boiler to Jacob Herring, New Ravenna, O.

George Iba and Alex. Schannon, hostlers at the Pittsburg round house, are sick and off duty.

The Pennsylvania on October 1 put on a line of Pullman cars between New York and Charleston, S. C.

Herman Regel, the machinist, has returned from Columbia City, where he set a Bass engine in operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith have returned home after an extended visit in the east. He is a Pittsburg conductor.

Brakemen W. P. Morris and Charles Bitner, of the Nickel Plate, are off duty, the latter for the purpose of visiting at South Whitley.

All the railroads are sending out complimentary passes for the general passenger and ticket agents who will hold their convention in Buffalo on October 18.

John F. Szink and W. E. Schlink, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, will go to Chicago tomorrow to be the guest over Sunday of Mr. Schlink's brother.

A. L. Sonnenberg, a Pittsburg car builder, and O. J. Glock, a blacksmith helper, are off duty on account of personal injuries received yesterday while at work.

Theodore Haberkorn, Jr., foreman of one of the departments in the Grand Rapids and Indiana shops at Grand Rapids, is in the city visiting his father and uncle.

The Wabash has opened a gravel pit near Peru, from which in the next two months 125 carloads of gravel will be taken and distributed along the line daily for ballast.

Engineer Bert Crosby, of the Nickel Plate, and his wife, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Kriger, of Cleveland, who are out upon a wedding trip, having been married only recently.

Vice Presidents James McGren and Joseph Wood, of the Pennsylvania, who came here last evening on an inspection tour, continued the trip this morning, leaving on No. 15 for Chicago.

Charles Williams has taken charge as commercial agent for the Wabash in Pittsburg territory, with headquarters in Cleveland. Mr. Williams has had a long term of experience as a traffic man of the Wabash.

Machinist William O'Brien, of the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of the very serious condition of his brother, who is not expected to survive an attack of lung trouble under which he is now laboring.

Machinist J. Dailley, Car Builders C. Bickel and W. Snods, C. Roy, of the lumber yards, and P. A. Neuman, E. Huhne and E. J. Dullaghan, truckmen at the freight house, all Pittsburg employees, are sick and off duty.

W. A. Garrett, who left the Wabash shops to go with the Philadelphia and Reading, has received a merited promotion, having been advanced to the position of superintendent

of the New York Division of that road.

M. S. Wilson left for Iowa this morning on business for the Fort Wayne Electric company.

William Sullivan has been transferred from the machine floor to the erecting department of the Wabash shops.

George Ayres, oiler at the electric works, has retired from that position and will take a position elsewhere in the city.

Wabash engine 758, one of the big Richmond compound locomotives, was taken into the shops this morning for repairs.

Brakeman J. P. McCreary, who had been visiting friends in Van Wert, has returned to the city and resumed his duties on the Pittsburg road.

Charles Scott, a Pittsburg brakeman, is in Cleveland on business connected with the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which he is an active member.

E. P. Snel, the Pittsburg conductor who had an eye injured by a cinder several weeks ago, has recovered and yesterday reported for work. He came near losing the eye.

Walter Stanley, Nickel Plate caller, went to North Manchester yesterday to see his brother, who is lying very ill. John Holley is calling crews during Mr. Stanley's absence.

Ira Belden, the base ball player, will take a position in the Fort Wayne Electric works. Joseph Treutman is also a new man at that institution, being assigned to the laboratory department.

Conductor George McCormick resumed work on the Nickel Plate yesterday. A few days ago, as stated in The Sentinel, Mrs. McCormick presented her husband with an heir and he has been off duty making the acquaintance of the little one.

Col. R. G. Thompson, of the Wabash, was called to Detroit yesterday to consult General Passenger Agent C. S. Crane on a business matter connected with the coming Mexican tour. Colonel Thompson will go to St. Louis tonight upon a similar mission.

Harry Bowser, representing the passenger department of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, states that the road is carrying hundreds of bricklayers, carpenters and other classes of mechanics to Galveston and other points on the coast where the great storm did damage.

Mrs. Albert Stapleford, who had been visiting Charles Stapleford, Nickel Plate car inspector foreman, and his wife, returned to her home in Cleveland yesterday. Albert Stapleford is assistant cashier of the Nickel Plate at Cleveland. He was formerly employed in the freight department in this city.

Assistant Timekeeper William Orton, of the transportation department of the Pittsburg, is still under quarantine restriction owing to scarlet fever in his family. The little patient was so ill last night that it was feared she could not survive, but she rallied and is reported to be much improved this morning.

As the close of navigation approaches the shipments of grain by water increase. Last week nearly 12,000,000 bushels of grain were shipped by lake and rail, compared with considerably less than 4,000,000 bushels two weeks ago. This condition will doubtless prevail the next two weeks. By November 1 the all-rail lines will again begin to get the bulk of the grain-moving, and as the heavy traffic in cereals does not

reach its height until about that time the all-rail lines would profit handsomely were rates advanced.

Indianapolis Journal: "It is stated that in the coming year the Pennsylvania company intends to do a large amount of new work on its western lines if the business continues good. Among other things a large portion of the Panhandle, of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, will be double-tracked. At least 150,000 tons of rails will be purchased."

It develops that the Moline and Peoria railway, incorporated in Springfield on Monday last, is but another name for the Davenport, Rock Island and Northwestern, a road that now operates from Clinton, Iowa, to Davenport, across the river to Rock Island and up to Moline. The latter company at a recent meeting in Chicago decided to extend a line from East Moline to Peoria to Galesburg. To enable an extension a new company was formed under the name of Moline and Peoria.

BEAT THE JAPS TO PEKIN

THE WORK OF THE AMERICAN

SIGNAL CORPS.

LABORING UNDER A GREAT HANDICAP OF

POOR RESOURCES THEY PUT THE

FIRST WIRE TO WORKING.

Washington, Oct. 5.—A private letter has been received by an officer in the war department from Lieutenant Stanford, of the signal corps, which gives a brief but interesting account of the work of the signal corps on the way from Tien Tsin to Pekin. He says that owing to the lack of transportation the work of the signal corps was very difficult. General Chaffee found it necessary to take every wagon and cart that had been shipped from the Philippines in order to carry the supplies he needed for his army, consequently the signal officers had to skirmish for transportation.

Lieutenant Stanford says that he picked up teams and carts from any nation that could be induced to part with them, and sometimes few questions were asked as to the real proprietary interest in the transportation outfit.

He speaks of the very hot weather which was encountered, so hot that men who were accustomed to excessive heat suffered severely.

One day two laborers with his party dropped dead from the heat. Notwithstanding all these difficulties, the signal corps pushed along, and though General Chaffee was in advance sometimes during the day, the wire nearly always was up with him at night.

Lieutenant Stanford's party consisted of himself and twelve men of the corps.

"The Japanese," says he, "were a few miles behind us, with 100 enlisted men and twenty carts for transportation, but I was determined that they should not beat us into Fekin, and they did not. The first wire there was ours, at the American minister's house, an office first instrument working was ours. And after that our wire was carrying messages not only for our own government, but for the Russians, English, French, Italian, German and Austrian govern-

ments, besides the press."

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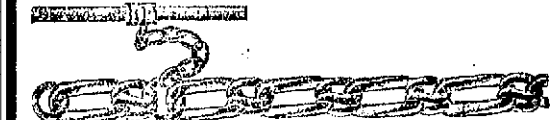
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reflects much that was superficial of the Napoleonic period, but it also shows, in its climax, the terror of Napoleon that prevailed at the time. The scene of alarm as the ball at Brussels is broken up by the sound of cannon, briefly described in "Vanity Fair" and elaborately pictured in Mrs. Fiske's play, may have developed in Thackeray's brain from one of his very youthful experiences. "When I first saw England," said Thackeray in one of his lectures, "she was in mourning for the young Princess Charlotte, the hope of the empire. I came from India as a child, and our ship touched at an island on the way home, where my black servant took me a walk over rocks and hills till we passed a garden where we saw a man walking. 'That is he,' said the black man; 'that is Napoleon; he eats three sheep every day and all the children he can lay hands on.' There were people in the British dominions besides that poor black who had an equal terror and horror of the Corsican." Of course the island was St. Helena. This incident of childhood made such an impression upon Thackeray that he carried it in mind through life, and there can be no doubt that his famous scene in "Vanity Fair" was in a measure inspired by the incident.

MEN'S SUITINGS.

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### THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight, probably becoming unsettled Saturday; southerly winds.

### LOCAL LINES.

Miss Lydia Bayha is visiting friends in Bluffton this week. Otto Efinger, of Bluffton, was a Fort Wayne visitor Thursday.

Attorney C. E. Sturgis, of Bluffton, was in Fort Wayne yesterday. Miss Roth, of Fort Wayne, is in Decatur, Ind., visiting Miss Lanthé Gregory.

Abe Simmons, of Bluffton, transacted legal business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Miss Maude McBride, of Bluffton, is spending a few days with Fort Wayne friends.

Mrs. Fred Gumpfer is in Columbia City visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Green.

Miss Mary Dondora has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Kendallville. Vern Eisman and Dan Meyers, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Kibiger are visiting relatives and friends in Huntington for a few days.

The social democratic party will hold a meeting Sunday afternoon at Pull's hall, on Hannan street.

Mrs. William Bennett and Miss Harriet Ogden, of Bluffton, called on Fort Wayne friends yesterday.

G. A. Henry, of 244 East Creighton avenue, goes to Garrett tomorrow to accept a position on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

Mrs. A. E. Spinsted and J. W. Goodyear and Miss Edith Goodyear, of Bluffton, are visiting in Fort Wayne for a few days.

Mrs. P. McCarthy, of Garrett, accompanied by her two little daughters, are guests of Mrs. McCarthy's sister, Miss Maggie Daly, of Melita street.

J. Widdicombe has completed the marble work on the new court house and returned to his home in St. Louis. Mr. Widdicombe had supervision of the marble work on the building from the beginning to the completion of the contract and the thousands of people who travel through the handsome structure will commend the excellent results he obtained. Mr. Widdicombe made many friends while in Fort Wayne and all deplore the fact that he must leave.

Caroline Wessel files her current report as guardian of the minor heirs of John Wessel.

The first marriage license issued in the new court house was to John Neebur and Thelma Neebur, formerly husband and wife.

### OYSTERS, CELERY, CRANBERRIES AND FRUITS FOR SATURDAY MORNING.

Extra Selects for frying, 25c can. Large Stewing Standards, 20c can. Best Michigan Celery, 18c bunch. Fresh Concord Grapes, 10c basket. Michigan Freestone Peaches, \$1.00 and \$1.25 bushel; small basket Peaches, 15c.

New York Quinces, 40c peck. Jamaica Oranges, 25c dozen. Wax Messina Lemons, 15c and 25c dozen.

New Pennsylvania Chestnuts, 30c qt. California Fruits of all kinds. WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

### LOCATES IN FORT WAYNE.

R. J. Howard, of Columbia City, is in Fort Wayne today looking up a desirable office location. Mr. Howard will soon come to this city as the general agent of the Reserve Loan Life Insurance company, succeeding J. L. Stoltz, who goes to Cincinnati.

BUTTER DOWN 2c POUND. EGGS DOWN 1c DOZEN.

Fresh Country Butter, 18c lb. Fresh Country Eggs, 18c dozen. Smoked White Fish 10c lb. Smoked Finnan Haddies, 10c lb. Smoked Sturgeon, 20c lb. WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Mrs. Foster, of 10 Lavina street, will leave Saturday evening for St. Louis, Mo., as a delegate to the fourth biennial convention of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

BUTTER, EGGS, POTATOES AND CRANBERRIES ALL DOWN AT SKELTON'S, 25 WEST MAIN ST.

Best Country Butter, 18c lb. Fresh Eggs, 18c doz. Northern Spy Apples, 15c peck. Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c qt. Sand Grown Potatoes, 35c bu. Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 25c peck. Old and Young Chickens, dressed to order.

SKELTON GROCERY CO. Home phone 306. Bell phone 315.

### OPEN SUNDAYS.

Perrey's Photograph Gallery will be open Sundays from 1 to 3 p. m.

## IN THE NEW COURT HOUSE

### FIRST CASE TRIED BY JUDGE O'ROURKE.

Judge Vesey Is Holding Court in the New Superior Court Room

### —Notes.

Judges O'Rourke and Vesey are now meting out justice to litigants in the new court house. All the books of the courts were last night moved into the new court house and this morning the first case was tried by Judge O'Rourke. The circuit court room was not ready for occupancy on account of workmen being engaged in putting up electric lights and Judge O'Rourke convened court in one of the ante-rooms and heard evidence in the case of William M. Emrick, administrator of the estate of Adam Emrick, vs. Milville Emrick. The attorneys in the case are E. V. Emrick and W. H. Reed for the plaintiff and H. I. Smith for the defendant. This trio of attorneys, therefore, have the honor of having contested the first case in the new court house.

This afternoon Judge Vesey convened court in the superior court room and has the honor of first holding court in one of the handsome new court rooms.

All of the offices have been moved except the sheriff's, surveyor's, and county superintendents and their furniture and books will all have been moved before tomorrow morning.

### NOTES.

The case of Anna Scott vs. Hanora and Patrick Quinn has been appealed to the circuit court from Justice Bulerman's court.

Judge O'Rourke Thursday admitted Turner B. Layman to the practice of law at the Allen county bar. Mr. Layman presented a certificate from the Ohio supreme court.

Frank P. Parnin has qualified as administrator of the estate of Adolph Parnin, deceased.

The board of commissioners has established the Shambaugh road in Cedar Creek township.

Salie Oaks has fled her current report as guardian of Essie Oaks.

Caroline Wessel files her current report as guardian of the minor heirs of John Wessel.

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## THE NEW KEYSTONE

Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c qt. Fancy Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 25c pk.

Fancy Michigan Crab Apples, 20c pk. Fancy Michigan Celery, 22c doz.

Fresh Standard Oysters, 20c can. Fresh Select Oysters, 25c can.

Dressed Chickens, old and young, at

THE NEW KEYSTONE, 235 and 240 Calhoun Street.

### QUINCES, PEACHES, GRAPES.

Michigan Peaches down to \$1.00 bu. Concord Grapes down to 10c bush.

New York Quinces, 35c pk. Ripe Tomatoes, 15c pk.

Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 25c pk. Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c qt.

Kalamazoo Celery, 17c bunch. Solid Select Oysters, 25c can.

Solid Stewing Oysters, 20c can. Large Fat Mackerel, 10c each.

Codfish Middles, Strips, 8c lb. Fresh and Smoked Meats.

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## THERE IS

A treat in store for those men and women who have not worn a pair of these famous HANAN'S SHOES.



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### AGED CITIZENS ILL.

Word has been received in the city of the serious illness of three aged citizens of Perry township—Danforth Parker, F. C. West and T. M. Andrews. These gentlemen are perhaps the oldest citizens of Perry township, having located there in 1840, and each is past seventy years of age.

### POLICE COURT.

There were two drunks in police court this morning. Mayor Scherer was out of the city and Squire Taney presided. Both prisoners were old men and the 'squire' allowed them to go with a lecture.

## Shoes.

Tomorrow at Thing's, Men's \$2.00 Shoes, just arrived from Boston, for \$1.50.

Ladies' Fine Dongola Dress Shoes tomorrow, \$1.50.

Big lot of Ladies' Shoes, 99c.

Men's Shoes, 99c.

Boys' Shoes, 99c.

Lot of Children's Shoes, were \$1.00, for 50c.

Men's 75c House Slippers, 50c.

Babies' Shoes, 25c.

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### MEATS UP.

To the Highest Standard and Down to Lowest Prices.

Spring Chickens, dressed, 11c lb. Oysters, Standards and Selects, 20c and 25c.

Sweet Potatoes, 25c peck. Grapes, large baskets, 10c.

Yellow Denver Onions, 17c pk. Home-made Sauer Kraut, 6c qt.

Cranberries, fancy, 8c qt. Fancy Oranges.

Fancy Lemons, 20c doz. H. F. HILGEMANN & SON, Both Phones 55.

## THEY ARE HERE.

### THE JACOBS MUSIC STORE RECEIVES A LARGE SHIPMENT

### OF VIOLINS FROM ACROSS THE WATER.

Realizing that the violin is becoming more and more popular as a musical instrument in the homes, Mr. George Jacobs, proprietor of the Jacobs Music Store, 117 Calhoun street, some time ago ordered and received this morning the largest shipment of Imported Violins ever brought to this city. Among the lot are a number of the world-famous Koschits, a make of violins that is recognized as the standard wherever musicians are found. In the shipment are good violins for \$3 and up to \$100 for the best. The coming of these instruments has been looked forward to with interest by a number of persons desiring to purchase, and if the reader contemplates buying one for personal use or for a son or daughter, there should be no delay in calling, as it is only once in a great while that an opportunity of this kind presents itself. Mr. Jacobs also received a large assortment of fine, imported gut violin strings.

ALL MEAT DOWN

At Herman Studel's, 92 West Jefferson Street.

Beef Steak, 10c.

Beef Roast, 9c.

Pork Chops, 10c.

Pork Roast, 10c.

Spare Ribs, 6c.

Neck Bones, 3c.

Bacon, 8c.

Hams, 10c.

\*Phone 945 main.

### POTATOES! POTATOES!

Now is the time to lay in your winter potatoes. We are unloading a car today and we put in the house Tuesday. They are very fine sand-grown potatoes, 40c per bu, at

THE NEW KEYSTONE, 235 and 240 Calhoun Street.

FOR SATURDAY'S TRADE WE OFFER.

Best Sugar, 6c lb. Extra C, 5½c lb.

Home Grown Sweet Potatoes, 20c peck.

Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 25c pk.

New York Grapes, 1½c basket.

Spring Chickens, dressed, 11c lb.

Good Potatoes, 40c bu.

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### SPECIAL PRICES ON LACE CURTAINS.

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Lace Curtains at \$2.00; worth \$2.50.

### Special Prices on Dress Goods.

25c Black and Colored Broadens; worth 35c.  
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50c All-Wool Homes, worth 65c.  
50c Cheviot; worth 65c.  
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Black and Colored Broad Cloth, at \$1.00; worth \$1.25.

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